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Congress's Crown For Jawahar Again?

Big Naval Battle Ahead

FRANCO'S WARNING TO BRITISH AUTHORITIES

Eden Sees No Danger To Non-Intervention, Despite Italo-German Recognition

Air Raids on Madrid continued on Thursday resulting in about a hundred casualties.

According to unofficial sources, two Rebel tanks were destroyed.

Barcelona was bombarded by a Rebel cruiser according to a Paris cable.

In addition to extraordinary aerial operations there is a massing of battleships, cruisers and submarines on both sides.

NAVAL BATTLE AHEAD

Though the belligerents have studiously avoided so far, trying conclusions in sea, a decisive naval battle is impending, as it is essential for the Government to preserve free import of supplies into Barcelona and Valencia.

A clear hint of the impending battle is given in Gen. Franco's warning to the British Naval authorities of the danger to foreign shipping in the event of coastal operations.

GERMAN HELP TO REBELS

Spanish Government circles allege that the Rebels' heavy cruiser "Canarias" is manned by German officers and supplied with German munitions.

British attitude towards the Junta Government was reiterated in the Commons by Mr. Eden.

Asked whether the Italo-German declaration was a deliberate breach of the non-intervention agreement Mr. Eden thought that it was possible to pursue the policy of non-intervention, respecting the supply of arms while recognising one or the other Governments.

DECISIVE NAVAL BATTLE IMPENDING

Both Parties Evenly Matched

MARSEILLES, Nov. 19.

It is learned that General Franco has warned British naval authorities of the danger to foreign shipping in the event of military operations in the east Coast of Spain, especially in Tarragona, Valencia, Alicante and Cartagena. Insurgents are only prepared to guarantee anchorages in certain recommended places and positions given, where ships could anchor within a few miles of the ports affected.

Yesterday, all German and Italian nationals in Barcelona were requested to leave owing to the possibility of bombardment. The explanation of these warnings is understood to be the necessity of insurgents gaining control over the ports in eastern Spain. Early attack by sea and land is expected.

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MASSING OF FLEET.

It is learned in London that most of Government fleet is concentrated at Cartagena consisting of battleship "Jaime Primero," cruisers "Libertad," "Cervantes" and "Mendezmunes," 17 destroyers and a couple of submarines. A few more submarines are reported to be at Malaga.

For Insurgents, cruiser "Republica" is now at Cadiz and cruisers "Canarias" and "Almirante Cervera" are believed to be at Ceuta. The whereabouts of the insurgent battleship "Espana" are not known. The fleet, is thus evenly matched, although the rebels have the advantage of more trained officers and a stronger aviation. On the other hand, their crews, it is believed, are disaffected.

Hitherto, fleets have avoided each other but a decisive naval battle now appears possible, as it is essential for Government to preserve free import of supplies into Barcelona and Valencia. It is understood the disposition of British forces is as follows:—Cruiser "Arethusa" and destroyer "Garland" are at Barcelona. Destroyer "Grafton" is at Valencia and depot ship "Woolwich" at Alicante. Destroyer "Glowworm" is at Carthagena and destroyer "Greyhound" at Malaga.—Reuter.

BARCELONA BOMBARDED

PARIS, Nov. 19.

A Spanish insurgent cruiser twice bombarded Barcelona last night according to a special correspondent of the "Intransigeant." Only slight damage was done.—Reuter.

FRANCE & BLOCKADE OF BARCELONA

PARIS, Nov. 19.

It is undestood that no change in French Government's arrangements arising from Gen. Franco's declaration regarding the blockade of Barcelona has yet been decided. French cruiser Dupleix and destroyer "Albatross" now off Barcelona will remain there temporarily. As far as the Naval authorities are aware no French merchantman is near Barcelona.—Reuter.

TWO REBEL TANKS DESTROYED

MADRID, Nov. 19.

There were hundred casualties in two airraids on Madrid this morning, one at 2/30 and the second at 9/00.

Five three-engined bombers participated in the second but dropped only 4 or 5 bombs before retreating when Government chaser planes appeared. Most damage done by bombs to-day was in the Antonmartin quarters where the church of San Sebastian as well as houses were hit. Citizens learning wisdom to-day hurried to shelter instead of gaping at the sky as formerly.

The Defence Committee in a communique states Government troops this morning counter-attacked successfully in the Carabanchel sector and yesterday recaptured several buildings in the University City.

It is unofficially stated that two insurgent tanks were destroyed yesterday by handgrenades and six occupants taken as prisoners.—Reuter.

Other Spain Cables: Page 7

DISARMAMENT IN FRONTIER

Council Recommends Reversal Of Present Govt. Policy

PESHAWAR, Nov. 19.

The Frontier Legislative Council passed a non-official resolution today recommending reversal of the present policy of gradually disarming the people of the Frontier Province and grant to them of an adequate number of licensed arms for protection of their person and property.

Opposing the resolution the Home Member refuted the statement that the policy of disarmament was a first fruit of the reforms and declared that it was a result of the disorders of 1930/31. He added that though heavy disarmament was made in that year, little more had been effected since then.

As for the necessity of arms for the border villages, he said they no longer had any raids and the inhabitants lived peacefully and if necessity arose reserve rifles could easily be issued.—A. P.

RECORD EXPENDITURE ON WORLD ARMAMENT

LONDON, (By Air Mail.)

World expenditure on Armaments in 1935 reached a record for peace time and was more than double the highest pre-war sum, according to statistics that have just been released.

The figure for 1935 was over £1,500,000,000 against £1,000,000,000 ten years before and about £750,000,000 in 1913.—(I.I.S.)

PATTANI IN CAR CRASH

BELGAUM, Nov. 19.

A car carrying Sir Prabhashankar Pattani crashed into a tree last night two miles away from Dharwar.

The occupants escaped unhurt except the driver who was badly injured and brought to Belgaum in an unconscious condition.—A. P.

NEW BRITISH LOCARNO NOTE

LONDON, Nov. 19.

The New British Locarno Note is being handed over by the Foreign Office this evening to the French, German and Belgian ambassadors and the Italian Charge d'Affaries.

The Note makes suggestions for overcoming divergences of views expressed in the different replies to the original British Locarno Note of September 18.—Reuter.

RECRUITING FOR REGULAR ARMY

Defence Debate In Lords

LONDON, Nov. 19.

Speaking on the Defence Debate in the House of Lords, Lord Strathcona stated, there would shortly be announced measures which he hoped would remedy the present unfavourable position regarding recruiting for Regular Army. The War Office was well aware of the difficulties of Foreign service, pay and discipline and were doing their best to make changes when possible.—Reuter.

STOP PRESS

PRINCE VICTOR AND AMARNATH.

LONDON, November 11.

Prince Victor of Cooch Bihar expressed satisfaction at the findings of the Committee enquiring into the Indian tour. Cooch Bihar, who took the greatest interest in the tour told *Reuter* "I have held all along that the punishment meted to Amarnath was unnecessarily severe. I am glad that the whole matter has been investigated.—Reuter.

TREND OF SHEGAON PARLEYS

Rajaji And Frontier Ganahi Decline Honour

NORTH CALCUTTA FOR SUBHAS BOSE

BOMBAY, November 19.

The "United Press" gathers from the trend of talks in local Congress circles that, at the informal conference of prominent Congress leaders at Shegaon on Tuesday last, among other questions discussed was the question of presidentship of the Faizpur session of Congress and that it was eventually decided that Pundit Jawaharlal Nehru should wear the Congress crown once again, so that he might have further opportunity to continue the line of work already initiated by him.

In this connection, it is understood, Pundit Jawaharlal Nehru has been persuaded to give his consent to this suggestion, although he insisted that every effort should be made to get some other tried servant of the nation to agree to shoulder this responsibility before he should be asked to do so.

FRONTIER GANDHI AND "C. R."

The other names that are understood to have come up for discussion were those of Khan Abdul Gaffar Khan and Mr. C. Rajagopalachariar. Of these, Khan Abdul Gaffar Khan is reported to have strongly opposed his name being considered at all, as he was content to continue as a humble "camp follower".

All intimate co-workers of Mr Rajagopalachariar on the Congress Working Committee, it is learnt, felt it very keenly that his sudden and unexpected retirement from the Congress should have the effect of depriving him, of this high honour at a time when, had he been in the Congress, the choice would inevitably have fallen on him. But Mr. Rajagopalachariar has, it is understood, persistently refused to yield to all manner of friendly pressure that had been brought to bear on him to change his mind. Thus the final choice naturally fell on Pundit Jawaharlal, who it was felt, was the most competent to serve as a connecting link between the right and the left wings in Congress ranks.—United Press.

BELGAUM'S CHOICE

BELGAUM, November 19.

The Belgaum District Congress Committee has elected 33 delegates to the Faizpur Congress session. Two groups, of ten delegates each, to-day nominated Mr. C. Rajagopalachariar for the presidency of Faizpur Congress.—A.P.

RAJAGOPALACHARI'S ATTITUDE

MADRAS, November 19.

Apropos the Associated Press message that several prominent delegates from Coimbatore and Madras had already proposed Mr. C. Rajagopalachari's name for the presidentship of the Faizpur Congress, Mr. Rajagopalachari, interviewed by the *Madras Mail* today said:—

"You know my views on the subject, and you need not expect me to reiterate them now. I shall write to-day to the friends who proposed my name about by decision, which they should know earlier than the *Madras Mail*, and my decision will be duly communicated to the Press from Wardha, the headquarters of Mahatma Gandhi.—A.P.

SUBHAS BOSE FOR CONGRESS GADI

CALCUTTA, Nov. 19.

It is understood that more than ten delegates elected from North Calcutta to the Faizpur Congress have recommended Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose's name for Congress presidentship and sent their nomination to the All-India Congress Committee.

The executive of the Bengal Congress Nationalist Party discussed this evening the party's attitude to the coming election and recommended ten of the Party's candidates to the Provincial Congress Parliamentary Board for Congress nomination.—A. P.

OPEN LETTER TO KING

"Dead Hand Of Poverty": Plight Of Unemployed In Eastern Valley

LONDON, November 19.

The second day of the King's tour in the distressed area in South Wales was marked by the same absence of formality and facility for exchange of friendly remarks between the Monarch and the subject as yesterday. The sight of derelict steelworks and idle coal pits and display of brave cheerfulness of the unemployed population obviously deeply impressed the King who, in a typical remark at Blaenavon this morning declared "Something must be done to find work for willing hands."

His Majesty's desire to learn the real condition of things was evidenced by his demand to see the open letter addressed to him by men from Monmouthshire Eastern Valley who participated in the recent march of unemployed to London.

DEAD HAND OF POVERTY

The letter stated that the Eastern Valley had been blighted by the dead hand of poverty and referred to 10 to 12 years of continuous unemployment of young men who had never obtained work, women prematurely old and children stunted and frail and appeal was made for the abolition of means test.

The letter respectfully asked, how sufferers could believe in the talk of prosperity or joyfully celebrate coronation.

At Abertillery, the King watched children partaking meal costing a penny and three farthings whereof nine-million had been supplied by authorities since 1921.

His Majesty ended the tour at Rhymney in the midafternoon amid unbroken demonstrations of loyalty and enthusiasm and returned to London.

Before his departure the King said "I have had most interesting two days. Now we must see what we can do."—Reuter.

WHEN A. I. C. C. AND CABINET MEET

ALLAHABAD, Nov. 19.

Acharya Kirplani, the general secretary of the All-India Congress Committee, has announced that the Working Committee of the A.I.C.C. will meet in Bombay on December 2 and subsequent days.

The open session of the Indian National Congress will meet in Faizpur on the 27th, 28th and 29th of December.

The A.I.C.C. and the Subjects Committee will meet two days earlier.—A. P.

Motor Insurance Committee Programme

(From Our Correspondent.)

NEW DELHI, November 19.

The Motor Insurance Committee appointed under the chairmanship of Mr. Roughton, I.C.S., will formally meet to-morrow at New Delhi and will hold discussions till the end of the first week of December.

Thereafter the Committee will visit a number of towns including Karachi, Lahore, Calcutta, Bombay, Madras and certain stations in C. P. and U. P.

Karimbux Illahibux, arrested by the Pydhonie Police on a charge of theft of a silver pocket-watch belonging to a tea-shop owner at Carnac Road was ordered to be remanded to custody for a fortnight by the Masagaon Magistrate.

Pros. To Participate In Quadrangular

CRICKET COMMITTEE'S DECISION

Array Of Deadly Bowlers Will Brighten Chances Of Europeans

"The Bombay Chronicle" understands that the Bombay Quadrangular Cricket Committee, after heated discussion decided to permit Professionals to participate in the forthcoming Quadrangular contests.

This decision has a special significance in view of the approaching Quadrangular Tournament.

The only side that will benefit by this decision will be the Europeans, who will be able to put on the Esplanade Maidan next December a formidable side, and may in all probability be the Champions for the year.

Besides Larwood, who arrived in Bombay on Thursday, there are to-day in India at least four other well-known professionals, including the two who arrived from Australia only a fortnight ago. If all the five of them agree to play for the Europeans as it is expected, then the European side, after proper coaching up by Mr. Frank Tarrant, will have an easy walk-over the other three teams.

LARWOOD IN BOMBAY

May Play In Quadrangular

That he would readily play for the Europeans in the forthcoming Quadrangular contests, if the Maharaja of Patiala so wished, was the statement made to the Press representatives by Harold Larwood, the best fast bowler in the world, when he landed in Bombay on Thursday night by the mail boat "Chitral."

Larwood has been brought to India, mainly due to the efforts of the Maharaja of Patiala to coach Indian cricketers in fast bowling. Larwood was received on board the ship by Mr. A.S. De Mello, Secretary of the Board of Cricket Control in India.

Interviewed Larwood said that he was delighted to have come to India, and he was keenly looking forward to do his best for Indian cricket.

He paid a tribute to the Maharaja of Patiala as India's great sportsman and said that he would consult him before he proceeded to begin his work of coaching up Indian Cricketers. He was proceeding straight to Patiala, where the itinerary would be drawn up.

In reply to a question as to whether there was any likelihood of his playing for the Europeans, in the forthcoming Quadrangular contest, Larwood said "If the Maharaja of Patiala wished, I will play for the Europeans."

Asked regarding the Indian tour in England, he said that Indians would have done better, if the weather had not been bad.

He said that he hoped to visit important Cricket centres in the country.

RAILWAY EXPERT ARRIVES

Sir Ralph Wedgewood For Delhi

Sir Ralph Wedgewood, the Railway Expert, who has been requested to conduct an Enquiry into the working of the Indian Railways and report his findings to the Government arrived in Bombay on Thursday night by the Mail Boat "Chitral." He was accompanied by his wife; Mr. W. A. Stainer and Mr. Forbes Smith. The party was received on board the ship by Sir Guthrie Russel, Chief Commissioner of Railways. The members left for Delhi the same night to be present in time for the Railway Conference on Saturday which will be addressed to by the Viceroy.

The object of the Railway Enquiry is to suggest measures whereby the net earnings of the State Owned Railways may be improved and the Railway Finance may be placed on a sound and remunerative basis.

In an interview to the Press, Sir Ralph said that his Committee would welcome full information concerning the problems before it from Provincial Governments, Railway Administrations, Transport Bodies and representative bodies of transport users.

The Committee attached special importance to the obtaining of the view points of businessmen and traders, because the transport system could not be considered sound, unless it provided efficient service. Sir Ralph hoped that plenty of written evidence and if necessary, oral evidence, would be made available to the Committee.

The Enquiry Committee will visit all Chief Industrial and Commercial Centres in India, including Delhi, Lahore, Bombay, Madras Calcutta, Lucknow and Cawnpore. The Enquiry is expected to be completed by February next year.

FOR AGA KHAN'S GOLDEN JUBILEE

KARACHI, November 19.

According to information received here the Aga Khan is expected to arrive in Bombay by the end of next month when a deputation of East African followers wait on him to urge him to visit East Africa, where preparations are being made to celebrate His Highness' Golden Jubilee, while 'en route' East Africa His Highness will be joined by Begum Aga Khan at Zanzibar direct from Europe. It is foreshadowed some Sindhi followers will go to East Africa, where it is likely that His Highness will be weighed in gold as done in Bombay, wherefor subscriptions amounting to 32,000 sterling believed to have been collected.

Medico Stabbed At The Junction Of J. J. Hospital

A fourth year medical student of the Grant Medical College was the victim of an assault by a Muslim at the junction of J. J. Hospital on Thursday evening.

Mr. Madhukar Trimbak Khare was standing at the junction at about 6-30 p.m., when a Muslim walked up to him and stabbed him inflicting five wounds on his person and ran away.

The injured student was picked up, and removed to the Hospital, where his condition has been declared to be grave.

An operation was performed upon him at the Hospital at night, but there was no improvement in his condition.

(For Riot Cases See Page 3.)

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LOCAL SECRETARY.
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NOTICE.

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1.—To receive and adopt Directors' Report and Audited Statements of accounts for the year ended 30th June 1936.

2.—To sanction the declaration of a dividend out of the proposed "Equalization of Dividend Account."

3.—To elect Directors in place of those who retire by rotation, but who are eligible for re-election.

4.—To appoint Auditor or Auditors for the current year and to fix his or their remuneration.

5.—To transact any other business the Chairman may bring before the Meeting.

By order of the Board.
CHHOI KOOKA DESAI & CO.,
Secretaries & Agents.
Bombay 4th November, 1936.

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Dividend Warrants will be duly posted to the Shareholders.
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HIGH COURT

O. O. C. J.

Summary Suit No. 1493 of 1936.

Messrs. GENAJI VANAJI & CO., a firm, registered under the Indian Partnership Act carrying on business as Shroffs and Money-lenders at Thakurdwar, outside the Fort of Bombay. .... Plaintiffs.
vis
MAHOMED ABDUL KADER MOTIWALLA and (2) MAHMOOD ABDUL KADER MOTIWALLA, both of Bombay Arab Mahomedan Inhabitants, residing at 10, Circus Avenue, Byculla, outside the Fort of Bombay. .. Defendants.
EDWARD VIII, by the Grace of God, etc.

To,

1. Mahomed Abdul Kader Motiwalla
2. Mahmood Abdul Kader Motiwalla.

WHEREAS the Plaintiffs abovenamed have filed in this Court the above suit against you both for Rs. 5,600 interest and costs in respect of a Promissory Note, dated 27-8-35 passed by you for Rs. 5,660. You are hereby summoned to apply to this Court within 10 days from the date hereof or within such further time as may be allowed on application to the Chamber Judge for leave to defend this suit. In default the Plaintiffs will be entitled to obtain a decree against you for the said amount, interest and costs.

Witness Sir JOHN WILLIAM FISHER BEAUMONT, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay, aforesaid this 12th September, 1936.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

(Sd.) TAHIR ALI,
For Prothonotary & Senior Master.

(Sd.) TAHIR ALI.

Sealed
12th day of September, 1936.
Messrs. SHASTRI & CO.,
Plaintiffs' Attorneys.
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AROUND THE COURTS

BOMBAY, Thursday.

Riot compensation claims amounting to Rs. 65,000 were filed before the Chief Presidency Magistrate to-day, by four persons, who claimed the amount as compensation for the deaths of their relatives injured in the rioting.

Of these claims, one was for Rs. 17,000, filed by the brother of Anant Vishnu Paranjpye, a milkman, who died as a result of the injuries sustained by him when he was assaulted at Dadar.

Mohommed Hanif Kalaudin, Abu Fata Mohommed and Suleman Hassan were placed before Mr. W. W. Mankar, Presidency Magistrate, Masagaon, to-day on a charge of house-breaking.

The accused were stated to have removed the three locks of a cloth shop at Ibrahim Rahimtoola Road last night and were alleged to have disappeared with Rs. 1,273.

The accused were ordered to be remanded to custody for a fortnight.

Two persons arrested by the Nagpada and Pydhonie Police in connection with communal disturbance in the City were placed before Mr. Oscar H. Brown, Presidency Magistrate, Masagaon, and ordered to be released on bail in the sum of Rs. 500 each.

Ten persons arrested in the same connection were ordered to be further remanded to custody for a week, pending further Police inquiries.

Three cases in which persons died of homicidal stab-wounds during the communal tension in the city were disposed of by the Coroner's Jury to-day.

Of these, a Pathan and a Hindu named Shantigir Kondaji were found with stab-wounds on Gokhale Road on October 17 and 20 last.

Harjiwandas Gokji was found lying stabbed at Sutar Chawl of Abdul Rehman Street on November 10 last. In all these cases the culprits have not been traced.

For brushing against him while walking along the Masjid Bunder Road on Monday last, Babu Liladhar was stated to have stabbed a man who was accompanied by his son.

Liladhar was placed before Mr. W. K. Mankar, Additional Presidency Magistrate, Masagaon, and ordered to be released on bail in the sum of Rs. 100.

A miscreant who is alleged to have attempted to drag away a six-year-old pupil of the Premier High School, yesterday afternoon, during the midday recess, was arrested by one P. A. Kotwal and others who were on the scene.

Najia Ahmed Bux was then handed over to the Lamington Road Police who produced him in the Girgaum Court to-day.

Ahmed was remanded into Police custody till 3rd December.

Shamla Amruddin, was caught red-handed while, it is alleged, he was snatching a purse from the coat pocket of a person at Ranade Road, Dadar, last night.

He was remanded into police custody till 3rd December at the Dadar Police Court, to-day.

Another person, one Chikia Govind alias Chikia, was arrested on a charge of causing burns to a person on the 8th instant.

It was alleged that, the complainant, Vithal Ganga, was standing outside his room when the accused, accosted him and without any rhyme of reason pushed him into a segree of fire.

The accused was ordered to be released on bail of Rs. 50 (Rs. 25 cash) till the 30th instant at the Dadar Police Court, to-day.

On receipt of information that gambling was going on on a large scale at a charcoal shop of one Sarju Bhaya, situated on the ground floor of Tijoriwalla Building, 1st Carpenter Street, the Maharbouri Police raided the place at 12-30 a.m. to-day and took into custody 27 persons, up-country Bhayyas, including the owner.

They were all produced this morning at the Girgaum Police Court by S. I. Gurve before Mr. I. N. Mehta, Presidency Magistrate.

It was alleged that the accused were gambling with cowries and money.

Some instruments of gaming were, it is alleged, seized in the course of the raid.

The accused were ordered to be released on bail in a sum of Rs. 30 (cash Rs. 5) for a week till 29th instant.

Accused Janki Prasad Girdharilal who was bailed out by the Police, was allowed to continue on bail.

During the course of investigation in a theft case, in which 98 wooden rafters were removed from a compound at Vincent Road, the Bholwada Police arrested one more person, Dawood Jutta.

It was alleged, some more wooden rafters were recovered from the compound of the accused. So far he was not arrested because there was not sufficient evidence against him.

The accused was ordered to be released on bail, of Rs. 100 cash Rs. 50 at the Dadar Police Court to-day.

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Government Sanction Not Necessary For Prosecution

K. F. Nariman Argues Appeal In Complaint Against Kalyan Resident Magistrate

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

Magistrates would be a serious menace and danger to Society, if Section 197, Criminal Procedure Code were to be interpreted in such a way as to make it impossible to prosecute them without obtaining Government's previous sanction even when they abuse and intimidate innocent spectators.

Thus argued Mr. K. F. Nariman to-day before the Sessions Judge, Thana, in the case in which a tea-shop-keeper has filed a complaint against the Resident Magistrate, Kalyan, charging him under Sections 323, 504-506, I. P. C., with abuse, criminal intimidation and abetment of wrongful confinement.

Not Isolated Instance

It will be recalled that the Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Kalyan Prant, Thana, had returned the complaint saying that Government sanction was necessary before the complaint could be entertained. An appeal was preferred before the Sessions Judge, Thana, who had fixed to-day for the hearing of arguments.

Mr. Nariman said that a citizen would not dare to file such a complaint against a Magistrate within whose jurisdiction he lives unless the position became intolerant. The incident complained of was not an isolated instance but formed a part of a series of such incidents.

The Magistrate, said Mr. Nariman, had never concealed his prejudice against the workers of Ambernath and had been openly siding with the employers.

The Public Prosecutor intervened at this stage and said that these remarks were irrelevant inasmuch as the only point at issue was whether Government sanction was necessary to prosecute the Magistrate.

Mr. Nariman retorted that the remarks might not be directly relevant but what he was trying to show was that the Magistrate committed the actions against which the complaint was filed through sheer malice and prejudice.

"Menace To Citizens"

The complaint in question was against a Magistrate who had become a menace to the citizens and from whose tyrannical acts, the citizens had to be rescued curiously enough by the Deputy Superintendent of Police.

Mr. Nariman further argued that the Magistrate had committed an act against common law and said that Government sanction would have been necessary if a prosecution were to be launched against the Magistrate for the hand-cuffing and roping in of Mr. Parulekar which he had done through malice and meanness for in that case the issue would have been one of exceeding the authority.

But in this case, said Mr. Nariman, there was no question of excess at all; the Magistrate had done things which he had not the least authority to do. Hence Government sanction was not necessary.

The amended section 197 Criminal Procedure Code, said Mr. Nariman, was not intended to give greater scope to Magistrates to commit such offences with impunity.

Concluding, Mr. Nariman said that from legal, moral and civil point of view, this was a case in which process ought to be issued directly.

Prosecutor's Reply

The Public Prosecutor in his reply cited a case in which it was held that Government sanction was necessary under section 197 Criminal Procedure Code to prosecute an officer, who could be removed by the Secretary of State from employment and argued that, if employment could come under the purview of section 197 Criminal Procedure Code minor offences, such as were complained of in the present case, were certainly governed by that Section.

Mr Nariman said in reply that there was not only a difference of degree but of kind itself between embezzlement and the offences against which the complaint was filed.

The Judge reserved orders. Mr. Nariman was assisted by Messrs. C. T. Ranadive and D. N. Deshpande.

The total approximate gross earnings of all State-owned railways for the period (11 days) ending 31st October 1936 (21st.) period amount to Rs. 276 lakhs. This is Rs. 9 lakhs more than the actuals for the corresponding period of the previous year.

RIOT CASES AT MAZAGAON COURT

189 Awaiting Trial On Murder Charge

The Director of Information, Bombay, writes:—

At the Mazagaon Police Court on Wednesday morning 215 persons were put up before Mr. Oscar H. Brown, Presidency Magistrate, for remand of riot cases.

One hundred and fifteen persons were remanded into police custody until the 2nd of December 1936. Bail orders were made in all cases except those punishable with death or transportation. The cash deposits fixed by the Court varied from Rs. 50 cash to Rs. 250 cash. Cash deposits, in most instances, could not be found and the persons concerned therefore remained in custody.

Ten fresh charge-sheets were put up before the Court and in six of these, which were in connection with looting during the riots, adjournments were taken by an advocate, on behalf of the defence, as he said that he had no time to take instructions from his clients. The police did not oppose the application for adjournment. These cases were in connection with the looting of shops in the Princess Street and Maharbawdi areas.

The state of the board of the Riot Court is as follows:—

Forty-two charge-sheets have been pending:—

27 in connection with looting
1 for causing grievous hurt
1 under the Arms Act
2 for breach of Curfew Order;
and 11 for carrying sticks and other weapons.

Since the riots, 197 persons have been put up for remand for murder. Eight were subsequently discharged on the application of the Police and 189 persons are still under inquiry. No charge-sheet in connection with murder has so far been placed before the Court.

SION OUTRAGE

BOMBAY, Thursday.

The body of a Muslim found by the Mahim police yesterday, near the Sion Bridge, was identified as that of Janmahomed Shaik Chand, the 18-year old son of a ferrier of Kurla.

The father giving evidence before the City Coroner, to-day, stated that his son left the house on Tuesday morning but did not return home in the evening. He made enquiries and tried to trace his son's whereabouts.

On Wednesday morning, he went to Dharavi in search of his son and was taken by a policeman to an open space near the bridge, where he found the body.

A stab wound was found on the neck of the deceased. The Coroner adjourned inquest to November 30, and the body was sent for a post mortem examination.

MUSLIM RELIEF WORK

The following are the activities of the Muslim Peace Committee as reported by the Secretary:—

Enquiry Office.

We have an enquiry office working practically whole time where messages are received and informations are supplied. Whenever an assistance call is received the same is promptly offered.

Relief Rendered.

The Committee rescued a number of Muslims in Hindu localities and gave them temporary shelter until they were removed to the places of safety.

Aid to Under-Trials.

The Secretary of the Committee visited the Muslim under-trial prisoners in Jails and enquired after their needs and wants. The under-trials are being supplied meals daily. They are further supplied with cloth and toilet requirements. A bus has also been kept to carry such accused to the Courts who are to be released on bail and further to leave to their homes when released or discharged.

Legal Aid.

The Committee has secured the services of Mr. R. B. Vellani, Bar.-at-Law, Messrs. A. K. Lakhani, Hindaday Bros., Mr. Mirza Akhtar and Mr. M. A. Lakhani, Advocates to render legal advice to the Muslim accused and to appear on their behalf.

Meeting Called.

The Committee called a meeting of the representatives of the different Mohollas and Jammats under the presidentship of Sir Currimbhoy Ibrahim and placed before them the Fatwas of the Ulemas. The ultimate decision was to forward the Fatwas to the Government of Bombay for consideration.

Appeal.

The Committee draws the attention of those who have not yet filed their compensation claims to do the same immediately at the Committee's Office, 27, Kolsa Mohalla. If any Muslim requires any assistance he may call personally or ring-up Telephone No. 30595.

MUSLIM ELECTION CAMPAIGN

Mitha And Aziz Starting On Propaganda Tour

Now that the Working Committee of the Bombay Provincial Muslim League Parliamentary Board has selected the majority of candidates to contest the elections to the Bombay Legislative Assembly, they have decided to intensify their election campaign. Members of the Working Committee have decided to tour the different districts and address public meetings and meet Muslims in different places.

It appears that Messrs. Mahomed Cassam Mitha and Sheik Abdul Aziz, members of the Working Committee, are leaving for East Khandesh in connection with the election campaign, now that the riot situation in the City has considerably improved. They will reach Jalgaon on Friday morning and address a public meeting in the evening. They will remain in the Districts for a couple of days and do propaganda work before they return to Bombay.

A. P. F. CHAPMAN RETIRES

(From A Correspondent.)

LONDON, (By Air Mail).

A. P. F. Chapman., the popular skipper of the Kent County Cricket XI, who captained England's team when England won the Ashes in 1925, and also on the victorious visit to Australia in 1928-29, is retiring, owing to the increasing claim of business, from first class cricket.

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BLACKWELL J. TO PRESIDE AT SESSIONS

The fifth criminal sessions of the High Court for the current year will commence to-day Mr. Justice Blackwell presiding.

There are 13 cases on the calendar in which 24 accused are involved. Among these 5 cases are of murder, one of attempt to murder, three of forgery and the rest of miscellaneous offences.

RS. 100 FOR RELIEF IN GUJARAT

The Khedut Sankat Nivarani Samiti, Bombay, decided in its meeting held yesterdy at 21, Dalal Street, to remit a sum of Rs. 100 to Dr. Sumant Mehta, President, Baroda Praja Mandal, for distribution of relief in the distressed areas of Mehsana Prant in North Gujarat, out of the balance of the proceeds of the charity concert given by the Gujarati Poet, Jhaverchand

Burglars Enter And Walk Out With Rs. 700

BOMBAY, Thursday.

The residence of Mr. Mahomed Umar Mahmood, Municipal Schools Superintendent, was burgled last night, at Ripon Road.

Property worth about Rs. 700 was stated to have been stolen.

All the members of the family were sleeping when the burglar entered and walked out with the property. In the morning, when Mr. Umar got up, he learnt of the loss.

The police are making enquiries.

The following telegram has been sent to H. E. the Viceroy, Delhi, from the President, Railway Travellers' Association, Lahore:—'Grieved to know of proposed taxation of Indian Foodstuff N. W. Railway. People specially third class passengers greatly perturbed. Will cause inconvenience increase rates and resulting deterioration in quality and badly effect peoples health. No tax on European catering great injustice with Indian. Strongly protest. Kindly intervene.'

INDIAN AUDIT EXAMINATIONS

Revised Number Of Vacancies

NEW DELHI, Nov. 19.

In supercession of the previous notification regarding the number of vacancies likely to be filled on the results of Indian Audit Accounts Service examination being held here this month, the following are the revised number of vacancies:—

Indian Audit Accounts Service 4.
Imperial Customs Service 2.
Military Accounts Service 3.
Indian Railway Accounts Service 2.
Postal Supdts. (class) service 6 and
Transportation (traffic) and commercial departments of superior revenue establishment, State railways, 5.

MINORITIES QUOTA.

Out of these 22 vacancies, the following posts in each service will be reserved for the Muslims and for the members of other minority communities in default of candidates belonging to the Muslim or other minority communities being appointed as a result of the examination.

Indian Audit Accounts one Muslim and one other of the minority communities.

Imperial Custom Service one Muslim.

Military Accounts one Muslim.

Indian Railway Accounts one Muslim.

Postal Supdts. one each.

Transportation and Commercial Department, State Railways one Muslim.—A. P. Special.

NOT WITHDRAWING

Sardar Bhimbhai Naik, M. L. C., has issued a statement contradicting Press reports that he is likely to withdraw his candidature for the Bombay Legislative Assembly.

Sardar Naik adds that he is well and that he is contesting his constituency.—A. P.

More Dispensaries For Tubercular Patients

Commissioner Proposes Steps To Control Spread Of Disease

Mortality by Tuberculosis is increasing in the City and the Municipal Commissioner, therefore, proposes to take more active steps for the control of this disease.

He has, therefore, prepared a scheme, which will be considered shortly by the Municipal Commissioner.

The Municipal Commissioner in his letter states:

I have the honour to state that the mortality from Tuberculosis has been steadily increasing during the last five years as can be seen from the figures given below:—

Year.	Deaths.	Death-rate.
1931	1.566	1.3
1932	1.789	1.2
1933	1.591	1.4
1934	1.856	1.6
1935	1.929	1.7

Over 19,000 Cases

The mortality figures however do not give the true incidence of the disease. It is estimated that for every death from Tuberculosis there are at least ten persons suffering from it. On this basis there may be more than 19,000 tuberculosis cases in the City. Even this I consider to be an underestimate, as a good many tuberculosis patients leave the City for their country and ultimately die there.

It is also possible that a large number of deaths from tuberculosis are attributed to 'Respiratory Diseases' in order to avoid the confession that there is Tuberculosis in the family. The incidence of the disease is thus even more wide-spread than the figures indicate. I therefore think that it is necessary to take more active steps for the control of this disease in the City. The measures needed for this purpose are the establishment of—

(1) Preventorium (a place for bringing up children of tubercular patients and of children in pre-tubercular stage);

(2) Tuberculosis dispensaries for treatment of tubercular cases and for carrying out intensive propaganda against Tuberculosis and for thorough investigation of "contacts";

(3) A Sanatorium for treatment of Tubercular patients in early stages;

(4) A Hospital for the isolation treatment of advanced cases;

(5) Colony for those who have been relieved from the disease by treatment, to prevent their going back to their old residences and occupations.

Step Necessary But No Money

The cost of establishing a Preventorium and a Colony would be prohibitive, and I do not think that it would be possible to undertake these measures at this stage, though they are necessary for any complete scheme and ought to be considered later on as funds permit. But the time has activities in other directions.

We are at present maintaining come when we should extend our

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two Anti-Tuberculosis Dispensaries, one Sanatorium and one Hospital for the isolation and treatment of cases in advanced stages. These institutions must be further extended, if the foci of infection are to be checked satisfactorily.

Extensions Proposed

I therefore propose that the following extensions should be carried out as early as possible:—

(1) 2 additional dispensaries for the treatment of tubercular patients thus bringing the total number in the City to four;

(2) A fully equipped X-ray Department in one of the central dispensaries for screening and taking Skiagrams;

(3) An increase in the number of beds in the Sanatorium; and

(4) An increase in the accommodation for advanced cases in the Isolation Hospital.

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Bombay First Winter Meeting

Acceptances For Opening Day At Mahaluxmi

BOMBAY, Thursday.

Good fields will be the order of the day at Mahaluxmi on Saturday, and the acceptances out to-day, indicate a good afternoon's sport.

1st Race: 1-15 p. m.

THE MEERUT PLATE. Distance—5 Furlongs.

Winner Rs. 1,500; Second Rs. 500; Third Rs. 250. A Handicap for Indian Horses in Class IV.

Honeysuckle 10-9; Honey Boy 9-2; Savonette 8-11; Belle of York 8-10; Cheer Up 8-0; Sansolini 8-0; Fashion 8-0; Krishna Kumar 7-7; Poetry 7-4; Savoy 7-0; Replete 7-0.

2nd Race: 1-45 p. m.

THE BAGHDAD PLATE. Division I. Distance—7 Furlongs.

Winner Rs. 1,500; Second Rs. 500; Third Rs. 250. For Arabs in Class III. W. A. reduced 7 lbs.

Penalties—Winners after 31st October 1935, of a race or races of the aggregate value of Rs. 2,000 or over 7 lbs., or of a race or races of the aggregate value of Rs. 3,000 or over 12 lbs. Allowances—Ponies 14 hands and under 4 lbs.

Ghoj al Saad 9-1; Sattam 8-13; Arab Flag 8-10; Faddak 8-10; Watchmaker II 8-10; Lookman 8-10; Hazrat Beg 8-8; Howel 8-8; Faisal 8-2 Kanz al Dowla 8-2; Nissiril Iraq 8-2; Timiat 7-10; Jabil Tariq 7-10; Zaim Shammar 7-10; Shah Jehan 7-7; Lucky Son 7-6; Bani Tamim 7-1; Shuweiman 7-1.

3rd Race: 2-15 p. m.

THE BAGHDAD PLATE. Division II Distance—7 Furlongs.

Winner Rs. 1,500; Second Rs. 500; Third Rs. 250. For Arabs in Class III. W. A. reduced 7 lbs.

Penalties—Winners after 31st October, 1935, of a race or races of the aggregate value of Rs. 2,000 or over 7 lbs; or of a race or races of the aggregate value of Rs. 3,000 or over 12 lbs. Allowances—Ponies 14 hands and under, 4lbs.

Munir al Iraq 8-11; Gani Beg 8-10; Tair al Zaman 8-10; High Flier 8-10; Famous 8-10; Mijlat 8-9; Gani 8-9; Jawad Pasha 8-8; Hyder Beg 8-4; Full Moon 8-2; Stingaree 8-2; Sagban Pasha 7-10; Dhiyab 7-10; Safradon Beg 7-10; Golden Sceptre 7-7; Five Stars 7-7; Saad Nazam 7-4.

4th Race: 2-45 p. m.

THE REDCAR PLATE. Division II. Distance—6 Furlongs.

Winner Rs. 3,000; Second Rs. 1,000; Third Rs. 500. A Handicap for Horses in Class III.

Mytillus 9-0; Jill's First 7-7; Naidor 8-12; Good Biz 8-7; Babarum 8-4; Rigoletta 8-4; Lenadoon 8-3; Hippy Buchan 8-0; Irish Ford 8-0; Flare 7-12; Venosa 7-11; Turlogh 7-7.

5th Race: 3-15 p. m.

THE COOPERAGE HANDICAP Division II. Distance—6 Furlongs

Winner Rs. 2,000; Second Rs. 700; Third Rs. 300. A Handicap for Arabs in Classes I & II.

Nur Jehan 9-4; Al Saffah 9-4; King Ghazi 9-1; Silver Jubilee 9-0; Hakim Pasha 8-12; Darianoor 8-12; Amirulmulk 8-10; Taj Shamama 8-9; The Knut 8-6; Wardat Saamarra 8-6; Havana 8-5; Quarry 8-5; Riyad II 8-5; Muhaisin 8-4; Yaroob 8-4; Lucky Boy 8-3; Advocate 8-2; Walk Over 8-2; Taj Nizam 7-13; Zoolum 7-13; Sunspot 7-12; Desert Prince 7-12; The Leader 7-7.

6th Race: 3-45 p. m.

THE REDCAR PLATE Division I. Distance—6 Furlongs.

Winner Rs. 3,000; Second Rs. 1,000; Third Rs. 500. A Handicap for Horses in Class III.

Masquerador 9-4; Argyll 9-2; Sundown 8-13; Red Flame 8-9; Solar Barn 8-7; Graf Zeppelin 8-2; Tobralco 8-0; Greek Artist 8-0; Cyprus City 7-12; Bismarck II 7-12; Garraveen 7-11; Devastate 7-9; Moti Koh 7-7; Rough Sea 7-4.

7th Race: 4-15 p. m.

THE AUCKLAND PARK PLATE Distance—6 Furlongs.

Winner Rs. 2,000; Second Rs. 700; Third Rs. 300. A Handicap for Horses in Class IV.

Consols 9-4; Column 7-7; Kilfinane 9-3; Golden Prince 8-10; Mademoiselle Eileen 8-10; King of France 8-5; Menado 8-4; Fighting Force 8-3; Spanish Fly 8-3; Perrier 8-2; Roberta 8-2; Bertha 8-1; Condesend 8-0; Bastion 7-11; Black Prince 7-11; Goblin 7-10; Casanova 7-7.

8th Race: 4-45 p. m.

THE WELLINGTON PLATE. Distance—7 Furlongs.

Winner Rs. 10,000; Second Rs. 3,000; Third Rs. 1,500; A Handicap for Horses in Class I.

Diamond Shower 9-4; Field Marshal 7-7; Pougatchev 9-6; Tolerate 9-0; Cercello 8-10; Synagogue 8-9; Hesperitus 7-8; Tel Asur 7-4; Silver Plated 8-9; Rivalli 8-9; Shahali 8-3; Bay Monk 8-2; Kum Bak 7-12; Pin Money 7-7; Teller 7-7.

9th Race: 5-15 p. m.

THE NOVEMBER PLATE. Distance—6 Furlongs.

Winner Rs. 5,000; Second Rs. 1,500; Third Rs. 1,000. A Handicap for Horses in Class II.

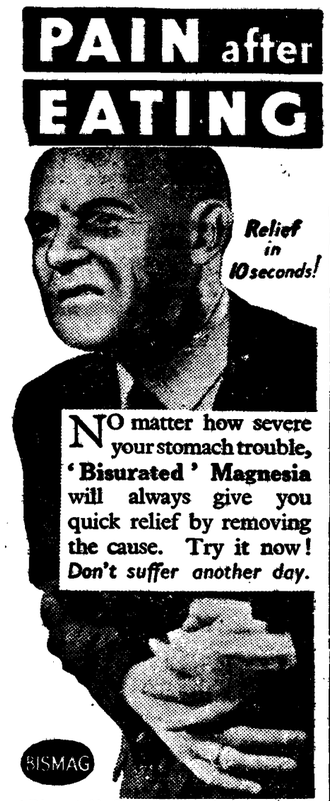
Reaction 9-2; Woolworth 9-0; Mythical Monk 8-3; Le mont Chevalier 8-13; Grecian Orb 8-11; Pompidhor 8-3; Argo's Heir 8-11; Robert 8-7; Diagonal 8-7; Centoi 8-6; Bekorah 8-5; Bachelor's Bard 8-4; Swift Reynard 8-5; Karaway 7-9; Desert Hero 8-5; Raghubeer 8-2; Irish Broadcast 8-1; Vendetta 7-13; Indian Empress 7-11; Cheap Jack 7-10.

10th Race: 5-45 p. m.

THE COOPERAGE HANDICAP Division I. Distance—6 Furlongs.

Winner Rs. 4,000; Second Rs. 1,400; Third Rs. 600. A Handicap for Arabs in Classes I & II.

White Flower 10-0; Karam Ullah 9-7; Violence 9-0; Burgess 8-12; Yawir Awar 8-4; Green Lawn 8-4; Mujbil Hatim 8-2; Queen Singer 8-1; Reform 7-11; Aziza 7-9; Rajput 7-9; Adhiba II 7-9; Amir 7-9; Blanche 7-7; Iraq Gift 7-4.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GENERAL RAIN IN SOUTH MADRAS

Thundershowers Expected In Deccan And Southern Half Of Peninsula

POONA, Nov. 19.

Associated with thunderstorms, there has been nearly general rain in South Madras and local rain in Bombay Deccan, North Hyderabad and Mysore while a few falls have occurred in Bengal, East Central Provinces, Konkan and North Madras coast. A western disturbance is affecting the North-west Frontier.

Chief amounts of rainfall are:—Sholapur two inches; Parbhani, Cochin, Mahableshwar and Coonoor one-and-a-half inches each; and Miraj, Palamcottah and Pamban one.

FORECAST:

Thundershowers will occur locally in the Deccan and the southern half of the Peninsula and at a few stations in Burma, Assam and North Madras Coast.

Scattered thunderstorms are also likely in Central Provinces.—A. P.

COLABA OBSERVATORY, BOMBAY.

Summary of Meteorological Observations during 24 hours ending 8 a.m. of 19-11-1936.

Change of 8 a.m. barometer in past 24 hours +012 inches.

Temperature (dry bulb) at 8 a.m. 80.2 degrees.

Temperature (wet bulb) at 8 a.m. 75.2 degrees.

Maximum temperature during 24 hours 86.2 degrees 2.7 (below normal).

Minimum temperature during 24 hours 77.4 degrees 5.2 (above normal)

Relative Humidity at 8 a.m. 78 p.c.

Direction of wind at 8 a.m. ESE.

Velocity of wind at 8 a.m. 4 miles per hour.

Total movement of wind in 24 hours 122 miles.

Velocity of maximum gust of wind during 24 hours 17 miles per hour.

Extent of cloud at 8 a.m. (the whole sky cloudy eq. 10) 2

OFFICIAL BAROMETER READING DATED 19-11-36.

At 8-7 a.m. local time (8-46 a.m. Indian Standard Time) and temperature 82.1 deg. F., a mercury barometer without index error at mean sea level would actually read 30.15 inches and a compensated aneroid 29.95 inches.

For correction of ships' instruments please subtract from the above official barometer reading 0.001" for every foot of elevation of the instrument above mean sea level.

TO-DAY ON RADIO

Empire Broadcasting

GSH 21.47 Mc/s (13.97 m.), GSF. 15.14 Mc/s (19.82 m.), GSB 9.51 Mc/s (31.55 m.).

7-30 p.m. Big Ben. "Monologue in Melody. Jules Rubens in a programme of syncopated piano music. 7-45 p.m. Johann Strauss (1825-1899). (A Biography in Music): The first performance of a new potpourri by Julius Buerger. Dialogue and English Lyric by Henrick Ege. Produced by Gordon McConnell. The BBC Revue Chorus. The BBC Theatre Orchestra; leader, Montague Brearley. conducted by Mark H. Lubbock. 8-45 p.m. "Scientists at Works." 9-5 p.m. West Country Songs and Stories. 9-30 p.m. "Punch and Judy Show." The authentic and immortal drama, adapted for broadcasting and produced by Jonn Pudney. 10-0 p.m. The News and Announcements. 10-20 p.m. The Hungarian Gypsy Orchestra. From the Hungaria Restaurant, London.

Bombay Programmes

VUB 356.9 metres, 855 kc/s.

11-30 a.m. Selection of Indian Music. 1-0 p.m. Available Market Rates. An Hour of Song and Melody. 5-30 p.m. The VUB Indian Orchestra. In light tunes. 6-15 p.m Talk (Marathi). "Nath Madhav Ani Tyancha Kadambarya. By P. B. Kulkarni. 6-30 p.m. Light Music. By G. S. Morghode of Gwalior. 7-15 p.m. Recitation from the Holy Quran. By Moulvi Gulam Mohomed Kamar. 7-30 p.m. Light Classical Music. By Vatsalabai Uarwatkar. With Sarangi Harmonium and Tabla. 8-15 p.m. The Commercial News and the News in Hindi. 8-45 p.m. The News. 9-0 p.m. Talk (English): "The Position of Women under Islamic Law." By A. A. A. Fyzee. 9-15 The Bombay Military Tattoo. A relay from the Cooperage, Bombay.

Phohi Programme

(WAVELEIGTH 16.88m.)

78-00 National Anthem-Opening announcement. 18-05 Musicti interlude. 18-10 Latest news from Holland. 18-25 "Dutch composers talk about their own compositions." Henk Badings talks about two of his composition. Musical illustration by Miss Folge Fonden (violin) and Mr. F. de Nobel (piano). 18-55 Talk by Mr. K. D. Koning. 19-10 "Famous Symphonic Orchestras". The Minneapolis Symphonic Orchestra directed by Eugen Ormandy in popular tunes (gram. rec.) 19-30 Talk my Dr. Th. V. Schelven. 19-50 Dance music. 20-00 Close down—National Anthem.

Delhi Programmes

FRIDAY, 20TH NOVEMBER

VUD 340.13 metres, 822 kc/s.

8-0 a.m. Recitation from the Quran-I-Sharif. (Text and Translation.) By Qari Mohammad Yusuf. 8-15 a.m. Indian Music (Recorded.) 9-0 a.m Talk (Hindustani): "Elements of Civics." No. 6. Taxation. By Prof. I. H. Qureshi. 9-15 a.m. AIR Orchestra. Multani. 9-25 a.m. Nawab Jan Rampuri. "A re kagwa." Khayal Desi Todi. "Kaisi basuriya bajai." Thumri Bhairvin. 9-45 a.m. G. A. Khan Gwaliori. "Ilaj ki nahin hajat diljigar ke liye. Bas ik nasar tiri kafi hai umar bhar ke liye." (Jalil.) "Zaxhm-i-dil gar siya nahin jata Kiun namak bhar diya nahin jata." 10-5 a.m. Afghan Dance Tune On Clarionet, Cornet and Dhol. By AIR Artists. 10-10 a.m. Nawab Jan Rampuri. "Jo dard dil men tha woh miri chashm-i-tar men hai Ae zabt rokna keh abhi ghar ke ghar men hai" 10-20 p.m. G. A.Khan Gwaliori. "Chale jaiyo bedarde men tore mari hun." Dadra. 12-30 p.m. AIR Orchetra. Shudh Sarang. 12-40 p.m. Brinder Singh Rawat. "Dinan Dukh". Bhajan—Bindrabani Sarung. 12-50 p.m. G. A. Khan Gwaliori "Parakho na rakho thar marji." Dadra. 1-0 p.m. Nawab Jan Rampuri. "Piya bin bhar bhar awan lage e ri nain." Khayal Plasi. 1-10 p.m. G. A. Khan Gwaliori. "Dukh ke ab din bitat nahin". Dadra. 1-20 p.m. Nawab Jan Rampuri. "Jalaya ap ham ne zabt kar ke ah-i-sozan ko Jigar ko sine pai-hlu ko lil ko jism ko jan ko." 1-30 p.m. A Classical Programme. 5-10 p.m. 1st News and Weather Report (English) 5-10 p.m. 1st News and Weather Report (Hindustani). 5-20 p.m. AIR Orchestra. Bhim Plasi. 5-30 p.m. Irshad Ali. "Fitna ban kar woh hue bedar khab-i-naz se Muskara kar li hai angrai nae andaz se." (Bekhud). 5-40 p.m. G. A. Khan Gwaliori. "Jobanwa char dinan ka mijman." Thumri Khammaj. 5-50 p.m Nawab Jan Rampuri "Umiden arzuen khelti hain yun mire dil se Palat jati hain maujen jis taran takra ke sahil se." (Hafeez). 6-0 p.m. Qawwali. By AIR Qawwals. 6-10 p.m. Narayan Rao Vyas of Bombay. Classical Music. 7-0 p.m. "For villagers only" (Delhi Market Rates at 7-30 p.m.) 8-0 p.m. Talk (Hindustani): "Man vs. Microbe". No. 6 Care of the Eye. By A Doctor. 8-15 p.m. AIM Orchestra. (Temple of the Heart) "Hirdae Mandir." 8-30 p.m. Narayan Rao Vyas of Bombay. Classical and Light Music. 9-15 p.m. 2nd News and Weather Report (Hindustani). 9-30 p.m. 2nd News and Weather Report (English). 9-45 p.m. Talk (English): "The Fortnight in Books." No. 6 By Freda Bedi. Mrs. Redi is the Managing Editor of "Contemporary India", Lahore. She is interested in the peasant and Youth movements in the Punjab, but her hobby is books and book reviewing. 10-0 p.m. Hotel Marina Viennese Orchestra. Under the leadership of Erwin Klein.

Calcutta Programmes

VUC 370.4 metres, 810 kc/s. 49.10 metres 6,109 kc/s.

12-30 p.m. SB. A Columbia Recorded Programme. By T. E. Bevan and Company Ltd. 1-16 p.m. SB. Talk (English): "A Citizen of no mean City." No. 2. Provision for poor men's habitation in the City. By T. C. Goswami. Calcutta Weather Bulletin for Ocean and Rivercraft. 1-36 p.m. A Broadcast for School Students. Talk: "The Use of Useless Things." My Dr. R. C. Bhattacharya. Readings from Rabindranath By Nripen Chatterjee. Talk: "Are you interested in Photography?" By P. Goswami 2-6 p.m. A Selection of Indian Music (Recorded). 2-15 p.m. Milad. By Quri Nur Hussain and Party. 5-6 p.m. "Dadu Bhai Speaks to the Children." A story from the Jataka. A Nursery Programme, contributed by Children. Bengali song by Pritilata Ghose. 6-6 p.m. Talk: "Forest Management." By Balai Masumdar, Forest Department, Government of Bengal. 6-21 p.m. Kheyal (Shyamkalyan) By Ashfaq Hussain. 6-41 p.m. SB. Commercial News and Weather Report (In Bengali). 6-45 p.m. SB. The News and Announcements. 7-1 p.m. SB. Commercial News and Weather Report (In English). 7-6 p.m. SB. The News and Announcements. 7-21 p.m. SB. Indian Theatrical Night. Betar Natookey Dal presents: "Mishar Kumar." By Barada Prosanna Das Gupta. Under the direction of B. K. Bhadra.

BOMBAY GOVERNMENT GAZETTE

Civil Appointments

Messrs H S. McGuigan and W. G. Lang are appointed to the Indian Police and they have been allotted to the Bombay Presidency.

Mr. C. S. Devadhar, Assistant Backward Class Officer, Southern Circle, is granted leave on average pay for two months from 24th October 1936.

Mr. H B. Clayton, C.I.E., I.C.S., has been permitted to retire from His Majesty's Covenanted Civil Service on the Bombay Establishment from 16th December 1936.

Mr. G. P. Patil, Acting Divisional Superintendent of Agriculture, Deccan Canals, to officiate as Deputy Director of Agriculture, Gujarat, vice Mr. B. S. Patel.

Major H. Williamson, O.B.E., M.D., F.R.C.S.E., M.R.C.P. (Lond), I.M.S., to be Officiating Resident Medical Officer, St. George's Hospital, Bombay, from 10th October 1936.

Mrs. F. Barretto to be a member of the Committee of Visitors of the Yeravda Industrial School for two years from 21st November 1936.

Mr. R. P. Patwardhan, I.E.S., Professor of History and Political Economy, Elphinstone College, Bombay, is granted combined leave from 18th October 1936 to 20th June 1937.

The Governor will hold a Darbar for the Sardars of Gujarat on the 17th December 1936 at 3-30 p.m. in the Nowroji Hall, Ahmedabad.

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HOMIRJAH (Dillon) beat REFORM (Bell) in a four furlongs' gallop.

BADEN (Black) easily beat BLANCHE (Selby) in a six furlongs' gallop.

YAROOB (Selby) galloped six furlongs. A good gallop.

RAJPUT (Burn) galloped six furlongs. Is in good condition.

AZIZA (Sibbritt) galloped six furlongs on the grass. Very fit.

SILVER JUBILEE (R. Boy) and GANI (Obaid) galloped seven furlongs. Both are fit.

FIVE STARS (Dillon) galloped seven furlongs. Good.

LOOKMAN (Dillon) galloped seven furlongs also good.

SAAD NAZAM (Evans) galloped seven furlongs. Fit and well.

The following have also worked well and are in good form: GANI TAMIM. FULL MOON. STRINGAREE. GOLDEN SCEPTRE. TAJ SHAMAMA. DHIRJAB. KING GHAZI and QUEEN SINGER.

Bay Monk And Grecian Orb Impress

Reaction, Indian Empress, Redress And Bachelor's Bard Also Fit

FROM "CHRONICLE" TRACK-WATCHER.

There has been great activity on the track during the past fortnight and the form shown suggests a good afternoon's racing for Saturday.

Bay Monk and Grecian Orb, among others, were particularly impressive in their work and should give a good account of themselves.

PIN MONEY (Lightfoot), DIAGONAL (Read) and CENTOI (R. Boy) galloped six furlongs on the tan. The first two finished well, particularly the former.

VERMEIL II (Dillon), SYNAGOGUE (Marrable) galloped seven furlongs. Both are well.

BAY MONK (Dillon) outpaced ARGO'S HEIR (Marrable) in a six furlongs' gallop on the grass and greatly impressed.

DIAMOND SHOWER (Obaid) finished better than FIELD MARSHAL (Britt) and a stable companion in a seven furlongs' gallop.

MAID OF ORLEANS (Marrable) galloped six furlongs, fit and well.

HIMAT (Bullock) and WOOLWORTH (Northmore) galloped six furlongs on the grass. Both are fit moved freely.

REACTION (Burn) and two stable companions galloped five furlongs on the grass. REACTION was the best and is in good form.

GRECIAN ORB (Selby) galloped six furlongs. A smart gallop and will run well on Saturday.

INDIAN EMPRESS (Britt) and a stable companion galloped six furlongs INDIAN EMPRESS is ready and in good fettle.

REDRESS (Sibritt) galloped an easy six furlongs. Very fit.

BACHELOR'S BARD (Burn) galloped six furlongs on the tan. Appears fit and should be watched.

MYTILUS (Evans) and a stable companion galloped an easy six furlongs. MYTILUS moving well.

VIRBALA (R. Boy) beat FASHION in a four furlongs' gallop.

BELLE OF YORK (Burn) galloped five furlongs. Fair.

HONEY BOY (O'Neale) galloped five furlongs. Is ready for the fray.

REPLETE (Dillon) was extended over five furlongs. Good.

MENADO (Simmons) galloped six furlongs. Fair.

KILFINANE (Bowley) easily beat KING OF FRANCE (Whiteside) and GOLDEN PRINCE (Evans) in a six furlong gallop. Is in form.

FIGHTING FORCE (Lightfoot) and ROBERTA (Read) galloped six furlongs. FIGHTING FORCE was the better and should be watched.

BASTION (Bullock) and BERTHA (Northmore) galloped six furlongs. Both are well and their form impressed.

WHITE FLOWER (Marrable) galloped four furlongs. Fair.

(Continued in Col. 8)

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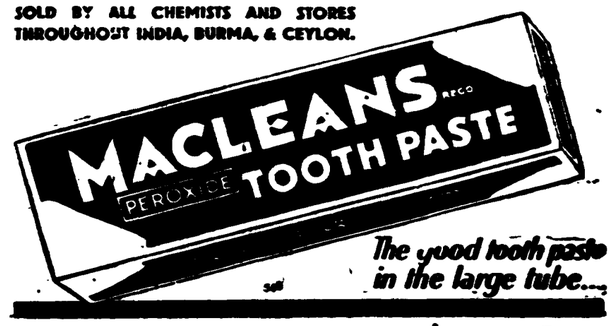

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LOCAL ENGAGEMENTS

To-day.

Hindu: Kartik Shud 6, 1992
Muslim: Ramzan 5, 1355
Parsi: Khordad 16, 1306
Hightide: 3h 29m 15h 34m
Lowtide: 9h 4lm; 21h 06m
Sunrise: 6h 46m
Sunset: 6h 0m
Municipal Standing Committee, 2-40 p.m.
Military Tattoo in aid of the Ex-Services Association, Cooperage, 9 p.m.

Saturday, November 21.

S. S. 'Strathmore', with English mails sails at 1 p.m.
Military Tattoo in aid of Ex-Services Association, Cooperage, 9 p.m.

A DANCE RECITAL CANCELLED
The Dance Recital in aid of the Anglo-Bengali School at Parel has been cancelled.

BOMBAY STUDENTS' BROTHERHOOD
An urgent meeting of the Managing Committee will be held to-day (Friday) at 6-30 p.m. (S.T.)

MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENTS COMMITTEE
The next meeting of the Improvements Committee will be held in the Corporation Hall on Tuesday next at 3-30 p.m. (B. T.).

MUNICIPAL STANDING COMMITTEE
A special meeting of the Standing Committee will be held to-day (Friday) at 2 p.m. (B.T.), for the further consideration of the budget estimates for the year 1937-38.

RELIEF TO CYCLONE VICTIMS
To concert measures for collecting funds in aid of the victims of the recent cyclone in the Andhra Desa, a public meeting will be held at the Bombay Andhra Maha Sabha, Palm Mension, Dadar, at 4-30 p.m., on Sunday, November 22.

LECTURE ON JEWISH CONGRESS
An address will be delivered on "The World Jewish Congress" at the Outram Hotel, Menkwa Building, Outram Road, Fort, Bombay to-day (Friday) at 6 p.m. by Dr. Maurice Laserson of Geneva Mr. Meyer Nissim will preside.

BHULESHWAR CONGRESS COMMITTEE
An ordinary meeting of the Managing Council of Bhuleshwar Congress Committee will meet to-day (Friday) at 6-30 p.m. (S.T.) at the Committee Office, Chhotalal Bhuvan, Kalbadevi Road.

REVISED POSTAL NOTICE
Registered and unregistered mails for Mauritius and Reunion per extra s. s. 'Ozarda' via Madura and Colombo will be accepted at the General Post Office upto 5 and 6-30 p.m. respectively on Monday the 23rd instant instead of upto 5 and 6-30 p.m. on Thursday the 19th instant as previously notified.

TOWARDS FAMINE RELIEF
The Khedut Sankat Nivaran Samiti decided in its meeting held yesterday at Dalal Street, to remit a sum of rupees one hundred to Dr. Sumant Mehta, President of the Baroda Praja Mandal, for relief in the distressed areas of Mehsana Prant in North Gujarat, out of the balance of the proceeds of the Charity Concert given by the Gujarati Poet, Jhaverchand Meghani.

BOMBAY THEOSOPHICAL FEDERATION
Under the auspices of the Bombay Theosophical Federation Mr. Ardesher N. Bilimoria of "Cherag" of Navsari, will deliver two public lectures in Gujarati at the Blavatsky Lodge Hall, French Bridge, Chowpatty, to-day (Friday) and to-morrow (Saturday) at 6-30 p.m. (S.T.) on "Zoroastrian Religion and Free Masonry."

MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONER'S ROUND
The Municipal Commissioner and the Councillors of the 'A' Ward will meet near the Western Gate of the Arthur Crawford Market to-morrow (Saturday) at 7 a.m. (B.T.) to go round the Ward. Residents of the ward who have any grievances to represent should be present at the appointed place and time.

AIR MAIL DELAYED
As the Imperial Airways Eastbound plane due to arrive Karachi on Thursday November 19 has been delayed by 24 hours. The London-India air mails which were due to be received in Bombay on November 20 will be received here and issued for delivery by the Bombay G. P. O. at 16 hours on the November 21 in the ordinary course.
The latest hours of posting air mail correspondence for Hyderabad (Deccan) and Madras at the Bombay G. P. O. will be:—
Ordinary correspondence at 11-30 hrs on November 21.
Registered correspondence at 11 hours on November 21.

Protest Against Cow Slaughter At Muttra

A public meeting was held on Sunday last, in the compound of the Mohan Buildings, Girgaum, to protest against Cow-Slaughter at Muttra. Nyaya Ratna Prof. Dhundiraj Shastri Vinod occupied the chair and gave a stirring address. The resolution of protest has been sent to His Excellency, the Viceroy.

AMUSEMENTS OF THE DAY

CAPITOL—"Accused" Daily at 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
CENTRAL—"Stage Struck" Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
EMPIRE—"Laurel and Hardy" Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
EXCELSIOR—"Guilty Melody" Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m
KRISHNA—"Amar Jyoti" Daily at 5-15 p.m.
MAJESTIC—"Indira M. A." Daily at 5-45 p.m.
MINERVA—"Maya" Time as usual.
OPERA HOUSE—"Janma Bhoomi" Daily at 10-30, 2-30, 5-30 and 8-30 p.m.
PATHE—"The Texas Rangers" Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
PLAZA—"Savkari Pash" Daily at 5, 7-30 and 10 p.m.
PALACE—"Captain January." Time as usual.
REGAL—"Poor Little Rich Girl" Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
SUPER—"Romantic India" Time as usual.
WELLINGTON—"Sheher-ka-Jadu" Daily at 5-15 and 7-45 p.m.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE

G. I. P. Railway.

TIMINGS AT VICTORIA TERMINUS
Timings at Victoria Terminus on and from 1st October 1936:—

Trains.	Arr. H.M.	Dep. H.M.
Madras Mail	6 00	22 00
Peshawar and Lucknow Express	6 15	23 00
Calcutta Mail via Nagpur	7 30	17 45
Calcutta Mail via Chheoki	8 15	20 55
Madras Express	10 15	13 45
Deccan Queen	10 25	17 15
Punjab Mail	10 55	18 55
Poona Mail	11 43	15 50
Nagpur Express	14 55	21 10
Poona Fast Passenger	17 0	11 50
Poona Express	19 38	8 15
Allahabad Express	20 15	7 0

B. B. & C. I. Railway

TIMINGS AT BOMBAY CENTRAL
Mail, Express and Passenger train timing in force from 1st October 1936:—

Trains.	Arr. H.M.	Dep. H.M
Ahmedabad Passenger	5 35	22 20
Delhi Express	6 00	22 05
Gujarat Mail	6 45	20 25
Kathiawar Mail	7 40	21 50
Frontier Mail	8 30	21 30
Frontier Mail on Saturdays	8 35	—.
Ahmedabad Passenger	14 20	13 40
Kathiawar Express	19 00	8 45
Baroda Passenger	21 10	8 55

ARRIVALS AT BALLARD PIER
Frontier Mail on Saturdays only) for passengers for Europe at 8 55

6 MONTHS' JAIL FOR RETURNED DEPORTEE

Gulam Hussain, a returned deportee with a record of five previous convictions was sentenced to an years' rigorous imprisonment on the score of persisting in returning to Bombay in contravention of the Police Commissioner's exterminent order.

It was alleged that the acoused was convicted to six months' rigorous imprisonment on March 9th last for returning to Bombay in the said manner and the order of deportation which was in force was also served on him by Sub-Inspector Sheik on the eve of the conviction.

But the police again found him in Bombay on October 31st last.

The accused was arrested at the Lakhamsey Nappoo Road, Matunga by the Kingsway Police.

Accused pleaded guilty to the charge and also admitted of five previous convictions.

Under the circumstances the accused was sentenced as stated above.

SWEEPERS' STRIKE AVERTED

Jubbulpore Municipality Agree To Give Increment In Wages

JUBBULPORE, November 19.
The Jubbulpore Municipality has accepted to-day the sweepers' main demands and agreed to grant them an increment in their wages, fix the working hours to 8½ hours a day, allow one month's maternity leave and half-a-day's leave on Sundays and important holidays and reinstate those discharged without apparent reasons but not those dismissed for insubordination.

The Municipality has further assured the sweepers of the security of their jobs, protection from ill-treatment and the promotion of the literate ones.

The sweepers have expressed satisfaction over the Municipality's decision and announced their intention of abandoning the contemplated strike.—United Press.

Mr. E. W. Perry, I.C.S., Collector of Nasik will be Secretary to the Government of Bombay (Revenue Dept.) from December.

HEALTH IN SUBURBS

Scheme For Open Drainage At Andheri

(From Our Correspondent)
ANDHERI, Nov. 19.
The Director of Public Health, the Collector of Bombay Suburban District and Mr. Caesar D'Mello the President of the Vile Parle Municipality had a joint inspection tour in the Municipal area on the 17th and 18th instant. They visited several stables both at Vile Parle and Andheri, the Andheri market, Oshivra a village near Goregam where it is proposed to fix the outlet of the propound drainage scheme and the nala at Andheri.

PROPOSAL FOR OPEN DRAIN

The latter place they inspected because the Municipality proposes to build an open sullage water drain in the centre of this nala and the public surrounding the area have protested against it. The director was of opinion that the only solution for disposal of sullage water of the town was the construction of a proper drainage as proposed in the drainage scheme.

OUTLET AT MAHIM.

He visited Oshivra for the purpose and he suggested that the site of the outlet for the drainage scheme may be preferably fixed in the Mahim creek. As the Mahim creek outlet would be cheaper and better it is very likely that the Municipality would once again change the decision taken a few months back and fix up the outlet at Mahim instead of Oshivra.

SANITATION IN ANDHERI

The Director seemed to have been very anxious about pushing forward the drainage scheme and it was evident from the discussion that he would do his best to relieve the town of Andheri from the insanitary condition by prevailing upon the various authorities to expedite the scheme.

He suggested the appointment of a full time health officer by the Municipality and as I understand the Municipality is going to favourably consider the proposal as the director has promised to secure at least half the quota from the Government.

Mother's Guardiansnip Of Minor Children

DOES CHANGE OF RELIGION DISQUALIFY HER?

High Court's Judgment In Double Proceedings For Custody

Mr. Justice B. J. Wadia at the High Court delivered judgment in the two applications by Purshottam Devji against Kashibai claiming custody of her two minor children as their uncle.

Kashibai's first husband Nathalal died in August 1936. After this, Kashibai embraced Islam and married a Mahomedan.

The petitioner, who is the uncle of the minor children, apprehended that if the children remained with Kashibai, they would be converted to Islam and brought up in Mahomedan surroundings, and would not then be admitted to Hindu society. He, therefore, made the 'Habeas Corpus' application and later took proceedings under the guardianship and Wards Act.

JUDGMENT.

In the course of his judgment, his lordship held that in this case where there was a dispute as to guardianship, the proper remedy was under the Guardianship and Wards Act.

His lordship therefore made no order on the 'Habeas Corpus' petition.

Dealing with the other petition, his lordship observed that section 7 of the Guardianship and Wards Act gave certain powers to the court in the interest of minors, and this had to be considered in view of the age, sex, religion etc. of the proposed guardian.

MINOR'S WELFARE.

It had always been held that the welfare of the minor was the paramount consideration before the court. Under section 3 of the Widows' Remarriage Act, the court was bound to remove a mother from the guardianship of her minor children, if she remarried. At the same time it was not illegal for the court to appoint her if the welfare of the children required it.

More important than this was the effect of the change of religion on the part of the mother. A minor's welfare included moral and religious well-being also.

EFFECT OF CONVERSION

Since the passing of the Caste Disabilities Removal Act of 1850, conversion would entail loss of guardianship only when the welfare of a minor required it. A mother's natural right of guardianship was not equal to that of the father. If the court felt that a mother's change of religion would have the effect of changing the religion and, therefore, the legal and social status of minor children of the first husband, the court would not be slow to remove her from guardianship.

REGARD FOR FATHER'S RELIGION

At the same time, it did not follow that on a change of religion, a mother must be held to have renounced her legal rights in the care and custody of her minor child. The court, while not showing any preference for one particular religion, was bound to show scrupulous regard for the religion of the father and protect the minor children from disturbing influences. The court must, however, consider that for a child the ties of natural affection of a mother were more important than the tenets of the father's religion.

JUDGE'S ORDER

Having regard to all these considerations and circumstances of the case, his lordship directed that the girl, who was above 7 years of age, should be removed from Kashibai's custody and put as a boarder in a Hindu boarding school or "Ashram", and that Kashibai should be given reasonable opportunities to visit her.

As regards the boy whose age was only 3 years, his lordship allowed him to continue in the custody of Kashibai.

His lordship further appointed Mr. K. M. Talyarkhan, the court receiver, to be the guardian of both the minors and associated him with Kashibai's custody of the boy in order to see that she carried out her undertaking that the child was neither converted to another religion nor removed from the court's jurisdiction.

Famine Threatens Vagru Taluka

BOMBAY, November 19.
Mr. Haribhai Amin, President, District Local Board, Broach, has sent the following telegram to the Mayor's Famine Relief Committee:—
"Recent rains have destroyed wheat and long crops in the whole of the Vagru Taluka. Immediate resowing is necessary people in Vagru are very poor. Prices of seed have gone high and the sowcars demand double and treble prices. Immediate relief is urgently required. Distribution of cheap and free seed is needed. Pray grant at least Rs. 5,000. Relief after a week will be too late."

Kisan Congress Office

The office of the Reception Committee of the All-India Kisan Congress to be held at Faizpur is opened at 525 Sadashiv Peth Poona City, and same will be shifted to Faizpur by the beginning of December next.

BOMBAY HOCKEY LEAGUE

Punjab Player Available

"A Sportsman" writes:—
Pran Nath Bhatia, Ex-Captain, Government College, Lahore Hockey Club, a Punjab University Blue and who played for the Punjab in the Inter-provincial hockey tournament and Olympic trials held at Calcutta in March last, is available to play for any good private Club in Bombay.

Interviewed by hockey fans at the Bombay Presidency Radio Club, Mr. Bhatia said: "I have been keenly looking forward to this opportunity of playing hockey in Bombay and shall be pleased to play for any private Club of good standing."

Mr. Bhatia will prove a great asset to any team that secures his services.

GOLVALLA'S BUST UNVEILED

Sir Purshottamdas Thakurdas unveiled on Thursday evening the marble bust of Mr. Dady C. Golvalla at the Victoria Swimming Bath, Back Bay, Bombay.

Tributes to the excellent management of the Bath, which was opened in June, 1896, were paid by several speakers.

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TALK OF THE SUBURBS

(BY A SUBURBAN MAN.)

Great uplift work is being done in the suburbs. I am told that Bhayander, a village which for several years was suffering for want of local relief, such as, sanitation, street lights, roads, etc. is making headway very fast. This village has a village uplift committee which was organised in April 1934 and whose Honorary Secretary is Mr. J. B. C. Noronha, the President of the Taluka Local Board, North Salsette. This committee has taken keen interest in educational and agricultural affairs, and has looked after the sanitation of the village and has provided 30 street lights, a road, footpaths, and public latrines, etc., with the help of the then Collector, Khan Bahadur Sheikh Yacoob Vazir Mahomed, to whom the committee gave a farewell address on October 4 last.

The Committee, with the help of the Collector, managed to reserve a vacant plot of land in survey No. 72 in the village near the church for public utility, another plot for a playground for school children, and a third plot in survey No. 12, for a market.

Bhayander now claims to be a village next in importance and rank to Thana City within the limits of Thana Mahal.

BANDRA POLICE RAID ON CYCLIST.

Cyclists are increasing rapidly in the suburbs, but many of them are quite reckless and do not minding the law or the public. They are found riding up and down heedlessly on no particular business but just for fun, obstructing traffic and many a time endangering their own lives and those of others. That is not all. At night you will see them moving about without lights or reflectors. The Bandra, Police have many a time tried to warn them against being without light or reflectors, but after a few days the same game continues.

On Wednesday the Bandra police carried out a complete raid in Bandra area and towards night they hauled about 79 cyclists for either not possessing a light or a reflector, and I understand they were fined yesterday at the First Class City Magistrate's Court, Bandra.

NIGHT SCHOOL A SUCCESS.

Vile Parle Night School and Adult Education Committee, of whom I have written many a time are doing work with great success with their series of lectures, and the popularity of the school is rapidly increasing which is proved by the increasing crowds that attend its usual instruction and other lectures.

Founded in February, 1935, the institution opened with a Night School with only three students, two of whom were barbers and one was a carpenter. The students include men of various professions and therefore various subjects of education are being dealt with. The classes of the school are held every evening between 8-15 and 9-45 p.m. in Marathi, Gujerati, Hindi and Enligsh under the control of a trained staff of five teachers.

The school has a library of about 400 books in Marathi, Gujerati, Hindi and English and students are encouraged to read them.

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PROPAGANDA AGAINST CONGRESS

The dominant position of the Congress with regard to the elections may be gauged from the fact, among others, that several non-Congress parties and individuals have offered to make common cause with the Congress at the elections, some definitely seeking the Congress ticket. The position is further strengthened by the settlements between groups within the Congress itself, like those, for instance between the Congress Parliamentary Board and the Congress-Nationalist Party in the Punjab, U. P., Bengal, Bihar and C. P. The Nationalists of Bengal have just adopted a resolution recording their satisfaction at the compromise arrived at between the Congress President and the Bengal Provincial Congress Committee on the question of the Award. They have however appealed to the Congress Parliamentary Board to include among its nominees an adequate number of candidates from the Nationalist Party. This should not be a difficult task if the Nationalist applicants unreservedly accept the Congress Election Manifesto and Congress discipline.

Spirit Of Non-Co-operation

The growing popularity of the Congress ticket has naturally disconcerted the reactionaries, who have accordingly started a regular anti-Congress campaign, grossly misrepresenting its policy and Election manifesto. The "Times of India", for instance, describes the Congress resolve to wreck the new Constitution as savouring of the methods of Fascism and Communism. It no more savours of such methods than does President de Valera's working of the Irish Constitution to wreck the Irish Treaty and replace it by one acceptable to the Irish people. The "Times" also regards the support of some Congressmen to the acceptance of office as being incompatible with the policy of wrecking the Constitution. If Congress decides upon accepting office, it will itself show how the two objectives are no more incompatible than are Council entry and wrecking the Constitution. It is not mere entry into Councils or acceptance of office that determines the effect of any Council policy. It is rather the spirit behind the tactics used at different times. In the present circumstances the spirit of non-co-operation cannot but govern the Council policy of the Congress.

Congress Success Assured

The Anglo-Indian press is not the only agency engaged in anti-Congress campaign. The Hindu Mahasabha, we regret to note, is engaged similarly. In a circular letter to all provincial Sabhas it says that the "Mahasabha has freed itself from the influence of those leaders who owed allegiance to the Indian Nationali Congress as the sole political organisation in the country." The reference is obviously to leaders like Pundit Malaviya and Mr. M. S. Aney, who are co-operating with the Congress in respect of the elections. It is truer to say that these and several other leaders have been freed from the reactionary influence of the Mahasabha. The statement also warns the Hindus of the provinces where they are in a majority against the consequences of supporting the congress candidates and thus enabling the Congress to secure a majority of seats and accept offices. The Congress, we are further told, in order to form cabinets with the help of the minorities would further sacrifice the interests of the Hindus. Sensible Hindus cannot be deceived by such stuff. They recognise that the Congress is the only body that fights for the interests of the country as a whole and have accordingly been loyal to it, at all elections, legislative or municipal. And they will be even more loyal at the next elections despite misguided appeals to the country. When pre-eminent Hindu leaders like Pundit Malaviya are determined to support the Congress, the rank and file in the community cannot fail to follow his lead. The remarkable success of Congress candidates at the last Municipal elections in Madras is but one of the many signs to show that much greater will be the success of the Congress at the ensuing legislative elections in spite of the unworthy propaganda carried on against it.

Bholanath

Mythological literature all over the world is replete with instances of animals who possessed supernatural powers. In modern times their counterparts may be seen in the performing ring of any circus. Seals, which play football (without possessing any feet); elephants which gravely sit on tables and chairs; monkeys which smoke and ride a cycle and horses, which can do sums in arithmetic, are all quite common phenomena. But neither the quadrupeds of mythology nor the gifted animals of the circus can reach the intellectual stature of Bholanath. To all appearances merely a bull—not even a Viceregal Stud-Bull—Bholanath possesses uncanny powers of detection and clairvoyance, which Sherlock Holmes and "Cheiro" might well have envied. According to a Press report, "he can detect thieves and members of the Indian Civil Service on sight," which, one must admit, is no mean achievement. He is said to be an expert at card-tricks and many conjurers would, no doubt, be curious to know where, for want of a sleeve, he hides the extra Ace of Diamonds. At a recent performance that Bholanath (one feels like calling him "Professor" Bholanath), gave before the lawyers and magistrates of the Ferozepur Bar, he "picked out the longest grey-beard without the slightest hesitation." The reactions of the owner of the patriarchal growth are not recorded, but one may presume that the omniscient bull has already made one enemy. This incident, however, provokes the suggestion that the French "Surete" may borrow the services of Bholanath for the detection and arrest of Paris blue-beards, many of whom are said to be at large. Money and wallets which secretly changed hands were also promptly traced by the bull. His owner, who is a policeman, would probably protest that he never taught these tricks to his four-footed pet. Did he get his inspiration, then, from his audience, which compromised mostly of lawyers? Marvellous creature, Bholanath! But we have a suspicion that his activities come under one section or the other of some Ordinance or Emergency Powers Act. Aren't they calculated to bring into disrepute members of the Civil Service, the Police and the Law Courts—in short, the whole machinery of Law and Order?

Our London Letter

BRITAIN AND PROPAGANDA

Possibility Of Recognizing "The Man In Possession"

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
LONDON, November 11
(By Air Mail.)

Recent visitors to London must have been amazed by the patience of the English crowd which stands in a queue hours in order to see the passing pageantry or walks in fours to demonstrate in Hyde Park even in inclement weather. On Sunday afternoon there must have been over 80,000 people in Hyde Park to welcome the unemployed marchers who had arrived the previous day from all parts of the country. It was a formidable demonstration against the means test and the new Public Assistance Regulations of the National Government.

The determination of the demonstrators to maintain order had been widely advertised but great numbers of police accompanied the processions, though there were not many mounted policemen. On all side it is generally agreed that the demonstration was the most impressive in character and one of the few largest in numbers ever held. Yet the British press developed a conspiracy of silence in regard to the speeches of the actual march-leaders. The press confined itself to varying estimates of the numbers present and generalisations about the demonstration. The "Times" reports the speech of Mr. Attlee, only, while the "Daily Telegraph" ignores any reference to the actual speeches made in Hyde Park and confines itself to a very general survey of the assembly in the Park. The "Daily Herald" reports in great detail the speeches of the Labour M.P's and Trade Union leaders, scrupulously avoiding any reference to the speeches of the march leaders.

Mayor's Show

On the following day, Londoners were once again in the streets to see the new Lord Mayor of London pass by on way to Mansion House. The notable things about the Lord Mayor's show were its militant character, illustrating the defence of London from pikemen to tanks, and the absence of women, who since the war had always figured in the show and often provided the most attractive part.

Propaganda

Commenting on these National demonstrations of Britain a German newspaper, the "Angriff" sees the masterly capacity of the British for propaganda, a trait which, as the newspaper observes, the Britishers heartily dislike in other nations. In the great ceremonial occasions of State in Great Britain, the German writer discerns clearly thought-out effects which would be designated propaganda in the German sense of the word. It is scarcely an exaggeration to say, the "Angriff" declares, that 75 per cent of what is published, in Germany about Great Britain is influenced or decided by British propaganda. Royal processions, Coronation ceremonies, flag parades, the Lord Mayor's Show, in sum, showpieces of British political life, are only the outward signs of a continuous process of kneading the minds of the nation, which is wholly propagandist; that is to say, if is conducted with certain definite objects in view. From the schools to the highest ranks of society this propaganda goes on from morning to night in every sphere of the daily life. The consequence is that no nation has a better opinion of itself than the British. In England everything that is really first class is "typical English." The British propaganda, adds the newspaper, is all-comprehending and so obvious that its occasional involuntary humour hardly appears to be such. To give an example: when a few years ago severe winter storms compelled the cessation of the whole Channel steamship services a great London newspaper reported this fact with the heading: "The Continent isolated!" If that is not a triumph of national propaganda, then, obviously, there is no such thing as national propaganda.

Jewish Emigration

Cabinet ministers and others are at present listening to two important men from other lands —Colonel Beck, Polish Foreign Minister, and Mr. Walter Nash, Finance and Marketing Minister of New Zealand. The Polish Minister's chief mission here is to discuss the European political situation as it intimately concerns Poland—and, in particular, the scheme promoted by Mr. Eden to make Poland a buffer State between Russia and Germany. And, despite the absence of official confirmation, it is unlikely that the problem of Jewish emigration will be omitted from the discus-

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Indian Companies (Amend.) Act

Reviews Of Principal Features

By JAGMOHANDAS KAPADIA
VI

By sec. 87d loans by a company to its managing agent as well as to any partner or director of the managing agent according as the managing agent is a firm or private company have been prohibited. Similarly the giving of guarantees by companies for loans obtained by managing agents has also been prohibited. The section, however, does not apply to any credit held by the managing agent in a current account which, it should be noted, must be maintained within limits previously approved by the Board and must also be for the *bona fide* purposes of the company's business. Penalties and liabilities similar to those applicable to loans to directors have been prescribed for default. The section does not apply to a private company except a private company which is the subsidiary of a public company.

Managing Agents' Contracts With Companies

It is a well-known fact that in this country managing agents enter into contracts with their companies for sale and purchase of goods and materials. This has led to conflict of duty and interest and experience has shown that in several cases the interests of the companies have been sacrificed. A provision has, therefore, been made requiring that such contracts would not be effective unless approved by a three-fourths majority of the directors present and entitled to vote. For obvious reasons the protection given is not at all adequate. Attempts made to provide that such contracts should be sanctioned by the shareholders in general meeting proved unsuccessful.

Loans To Or By Companies

By section 87E loans between two companies under management by the same managing agent have been prohibited. The prohibition also applies to guarantees. Penalties as well as civil liabilities have been prescribed for default. While this provision is designed to put an end to the objectionable practice of what is known as sister company finance the section as worded allows loans and guarantees as between two companies which though not under the same management may substantially be under the same management. In other words, a company under the management of X and Co., has not been debarred from rendering financial assistance to a company under the management of Y and Co. although to all intents and purposes X and Co. and Y and Co. may be substantially the same managing agents though under different names. This is a clear loophole and it is much to be regretted that Government could not see their way to accept an amendment designed to set the matter right.

Purchase Of Shares Of Another Company

By section 87F purchases by one company of shares and debentures of another company under the same managing agent have been made, invalid unless such purchases are previously approved by a unanimous resolution of the Board of Directors of the purchasing company. Investment companies have, however, been exempted from the operation of this section. The section also leaves the same loophole as that in the case of section 87E.

Restriction On Managing Agent's Power Of Management

By section 87G a managing agent is debarred from issuing debentures and by the same section he is also debarred, except with the authority of directors and within the limits fixed by them, from investing the funds of the Company. This section is extremely unsatisfactory as it will be open to the managing agent to arrogate to himself if he so desires other powers to the exclusion of the directors by means of provision made in that behalf in the agreement and/or Articles of Association. Attempts were made to set right this aspect by means of suitable amendments but they proved unsuccessful.

By section 87H the managing agent is debarred from engaging himself in any business which is of the same nature as and directly competes with the business carried on by the company under his management or by a subsidiary company of such company. This section evoked considerable controversy. In its final shape it however appears to have undergone a material change.

Nomination Of Directors By Managing Agents

By section 87I it is provided that the number of directors to be nominated by managing agents should not exceed one-third of the whole number of directors. This section was proposed in the Assembly as a safeguard against the doubts expressed in connection with section 83B (2) to which I have already referred.

Disclosure Of Managing Agent's Interest In Contracts

Existing section 91A has been amended by the addition of sub-section (3) which now requires that a register should be kept containing particulars of contracts and arrangements in which a director is directly or indirectly concerned or interested and that this Register should be open to inspection of shareholders. In view of the fact that the managing agent is invariably a member of the Board, all contracts between him and the company would fall within the new sub-section and would be liable to disclosure through the register. In spite of strenuous efforts made by the European group to whittle down the new provision, they did not succeed as the Assembly attached great importance to the publicity afforded by the Register proposed.

Voting On Contracts In Which Managing Agents Are Interested

Existing section 91B which prohibits an interested director from voting on contracts or arrangements has been amended by pro-

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FRANKLY SPEAKING

DANGEROUS AND PATHOLOGICAL

Sir Samuel Hoare has, in his speech at the Foreign Press Association luncheon, sought to ridicule the inevitability of war. He, indeed, characterises the prophecy as a "prophecy of despair" and "a dangerous and pathological prophecy." If that is so why are they so feverishly and desparately going in for more and yet more armaments? If the prophecy of war is pathological it is because it arises out of the pathological activities of great and civilised Powers who, professng allegiance to Peace and the principles of the League of Nations repudiate both in their own actual conduct and encourage and humour barbarism and militarism. Very few things would be more pathological than the attitude of submission that has been displayed towards Italy in the matter of Abyssinia, towards Germany in her orgy of treaty-breaking and towards the rebels of Spain and their allies. They are all militarists and they openly revel in the worship of war. They are a dangerous pathological case. Yet Britain, as Sir Samuel reiterates, is ready to make "friends" with them, to make "friends", in other words, with militarism and war and thus to help and abet both. Is this attitude pathological or the prophecy of a war that such an attitude renders unavoidable?

FASCISTS RECOGNISE FRANCO

Italy and Germany have recognised General Franco's Government in Spain with a hurry that, in others, would be indecent. But in the case of these two Fascist Powers it is nothing surprising. Spokesmen of these two countries have been openly sympathising with General Franco and his gang; Indeed, they have in astonishing defiance of all principles of international and diplomatic etiquette, proclaimed that they would not tolerate a certain type of Government in Spain. Little wonder that they have taken the earliest opportunity of recognising the rebels who are emphatically not a Government. But the question is how Britain and France are going to react to the obviously concerted Italo-German move?

A COWARDLY RETREAT

Britain and also France, although only because of Britain, have been, so far, consistently betraying Spain on the rather cowardly ground that otherwise the Fascist Powers may well precipitate a war. It appears likely that they will continue to do so on the same ground that after a contemptibly feeble protest they will let Italy and Germany openly supply arms and munitions to the rebels and themselves preserve a neutrality benevolent to the rebels. This betrayal will, of course, constitute only another proof that so far as these Powers are concerned international morality is entirely at the mercy of Fascist Powers to be respected only until the latter choose to outrage it. Britain and France have been retreating before the danger of war as consistently and continuously as the Fascist menace has been advancing over Europe and the world. Where will this gallant retreat before war—to safeguard Peace!—stop?

WELCOME DECISION

As a result of a unanimous decision taken by them on Wednesday, those Muslim members of the Bombay Corporation who had boycotted the Corporation meetings attended it on Thursday. This is a very welcome attitude and we congratulate them on showing thereby that they are alive not only to their civic but also to their real communal duties. For we want to regard their return to the Corporation as a considerable, if only preliminary step, towards an amicable settlement of an unfortunate dispute which has caused so much misery and loss of life to the city. Given the spirit of good will and a sense of intercommunal obligation in those who profess to lead the two communities, a solution of the Sabha Mandap is not at all difficult.

WELCOME ENQUIRY

The country will welcome the decision of the Government of India to send Mr. Srinivasa Sastri as their delegate to Malaya to examine the conditions of Indian labour there. The need for such an enquiry has long been felt, particularly in view of the circumstances which led to the repatriation, a few years ago, of as many as 150,000 Indian labourers from the Malay States. Mr. Sastri is expected to report, among other things, what improvements are necessary in the present condition of Indian labour in Malaya and whether assisted emigration to the States should be permitted in future and, if so, on what conditions. Mr. Sastri is eminently fitted for the task assigned to him and he may be trusted to safeguard in all his recommendations, the interests of Indian labour and the prestige of the country as a whole

Road Development In The Presidency

To The Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—It is with much gratification that one learns, that the Bombay Government has sought the sanction of the Central Government for the appointment of a Special Officer in connection with the scheme of road development that they have just taken in hand.

There is, however, one aspect of the question which has to be kept in view by the Government when they reach a final decision in regard to choice of the person who is to be in charge of this important scheme. It needs little argument to urge upon the Government that the officer should be one who has a first-hand knowledge of road development in foreign countries and who can be depended on to carry out the scheme in a manner which should leave little to be desired in the way of efficiency and modernity.

One need scarcely point out that in order that this object may be realised, the candidate has got to be one who has had the benefits of training in modern methods of road improvement and an extensive travel in Western Countries.

It is to be hoped that the Government will have these considerations pre-eminently in view when they make up their minds on the matter of the appointment.—Yours, etc.,

BETTER ROADS.

WITHOUT COMMENT

More copies of the Bible are said to have been sold in Europe recently than ever before. The largest increase in these sale has been registered in Spain and Germany.

—From Report.

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The Viceroy granted interviews to Sir James Taylor and the Nawab of Chhatari.

News Item.

The one talked Reserve Bank, the other Reserve Bunk?

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An Impending Apology

The "Pioneer" of Lucknow reports the existence of a bull who "can detect thieves and members of Indian Civil Service on sight."

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A veritable dunt seems to oe in preparation to enliven—what a word!—the Assembly elections in the Central Provinces. Congressmen, it appears, are determined to pursue the Honourable K. Raghavendra Rao up hill, down dale, through thick forests, across open country, along highways and by ways etc. etc. And since the scent provided by a Home Member who was once a Swarajist is bound to be unfailingly strong, the "kill," so to speak, is inevitable.

We offer our sympathies in advance to Mr. Rao.

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On second thoughts we venture to offer our congratulations to Mr. Raghavendra Rao and we do so in no spirit of heartless malice, although Mr. Rao would naturally resent our congratulations—at first blush.

For, consider, Mr. Rao's defeat at the hands of Congressmen in the various constituencies which he proposes to contest simultaneously will certainly be a cruel disappointment. It will hurt deeply.

But would it be as bad as getting elected? We don't think so. If Mr. Rao succeeded—which God forbid—he would be in the pitiful plight of finding himself, day after day, in a chamber full of Congressmen and himself unnoticed, unwept, unhonoured, helpless, hopeless and alone. This is a refinement of continuous torture which we shall not like for Mr. Raghavendra Rao, who, after all, is a human and, we are quite sure, a sensitive, being.

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No. Mr. Rao must fail for his own good.

And this, incidentally applies to all the "Raos," quasi-"Raos," almost "Raos," all-but "Raos," etc. in every Province.

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GRIGG PROVES FALSE PROPHET

Huge Fall In Customs Figures: Over Two Crores Deficit In Budget Estimates

—Headlines.

False prophet, but still true patriot we hope.

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Italy and Germany have recognised General Franco's "Government" in Spain.

Which is not surprising, after Franco's latest exhibition as a Fascist artist—during the last few days of the aerial bombardment Madrid has been laid in ruins, and human casualties, the majority being women and children, amount to 500 killed and 1200 wounded—the two great Powers could hold out no more without being untrue to their cause, their ideals and their missions.

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"There was," declared a British Government spokesman, "no question of disarmament in Britain until they brought themselves into line with those who had long since initiated rearmament."

And then? "Fire!"?

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TO-DAY'S PRIZE HOWLERS

(Perpetrated By The Junior Colleagues.)

(1) The Bombay Liberals are planning a march on Faizpur at the time of the Congress session. (Means of conveyance will be elephants, Rolls-Royces and high horses).

(2) Following the announcement that a film actress is contesting a seat for the Assembly, several Legislators who expect to be disengaged ere long are getting in touch with film-studios.

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He (during quarrel): 'Now I know why women are called birds.'

She: 'Oh, why is that?'

He: 'Because you are always chirping.'

She: 'I understood it was on account of the worms we pick up.'

"Demand For Independence Not Illegal"

"Non-Violence, Article Of Living Faith With Us"

GAFFAR KHAN'S REPLY TO HOME MEMBER

"I certainly do not regard as violence, the desire and demand for Independence. It is worthy of note that the Congress creed mentions complete Independence in so many words as the Congress goal and I do not know that on that account the Congress is regarded as a violent body or as engaged in illegal activity".

Thus explains, Khan Abdul Gaffar Khan, his position vis-a-vis the charges levelled against him by the Frontier Home Member in the course of a recent council debate on a resolution asking for the removal of ban on the Khan's entry into the Province.

The following is the full Text of his statement as wired by Syt. Mahadeo Desai.

WARDHAGANJ, Nov. 19.

Khan Abdul Ghaffar Khan has issued the following statement in reply to the Frontier Home Member's speech on a resolution in the local Council for the removal of the ban on his entry:

ANSWER TO HOME MEMBER.

"I have read the report of the speech made by the Home Member for the Frontier province on the resolution proposed in the Council asking for the removal of the ban on my entry into the province. The Home Member is reported to have expressed his disbelief in my non-violence. And in support of it, he is credited with having produced before the House certain evidence if it can be so-called.

He reminded the House of those scenes of intimidation that took place in the Charsada Maidan during the last elections when things went so far in our constituency that only three voters had the courage to go to the polling station. He asked if the freedom of franchise had been allowed on that occasion. Now, as it so happens whatever the scenes were, they took place in my absence and in the absence of many of my coworkers who were at that time undergoing varying terms of imprisonment. The fact of only three voters going to the polls can hardly be accepted as any evidence of intimidation. Surely during those days there were many places in India where voters had refrained from going to the polls in obedience to the call of the Congress for the boycott of the elections.

IS IT INTIMIDATION?

Is it possible that thousands of voters could be intimidated into not exercising their right of voting? And surely the Government had far greater resources for intimidation than such Khudai Khidmatgars as were outside prison walls and who were themselves many of the voters. If now the voters go to the polls and vote for the Congress candidates, is it to be suggested that they did so also by intimidation?

Another instance of my so-called violence is the fact that I did not attend a Durbar regarding the announcement of the so-called Reforms and that I did not even reply to the invitation. All I can say is that the invitation was received through a friend and I gave my answer, too, through the friend. I never thought that it was a sin in not attending the Durbar. I may mention that, too, was in pursuance of the Congress policy in which I thoroughly believed.

INDEPENDENCE, THE GOAL.

Then the Home Member says that Abdul Ghaffar Khan and his party would have no co-operation with the Government as they declare the Reforms to be inadequate. Nothing short of independence would satisfy him and his party. So the Government were compelled to take action and suppress the insurrectionary movement. I never knew that non-co-operation was the Congress non-co-operation which was definitely described by it as a non-violent action. It was never declared illegal in any part of India. Nor was the desire and demand for independence illegal. And I certainly do not regard as violence the desire and demand for independence. It is worthy of note that the Congress creed mentions complete independence in so many words as the Congress goal and I do not know that on that account the Congress is regarded as a violent body or as engaged in illegal activity.

WHY HE WAS JAILED

Then the Frontier Home Member refers to my speech for which I was sent to prison for two years as an instance of violent activity. This comes with little grace for he should know that for certain passages in that speech I had expressed my unqualified regret before the court. And there was nothing violent in my speech. I was charged with sedition which is a statutory crime but is not on that account necessarily a violent activity. But I know that if there is violence in me, the want of evidence produced by the Home Member cannot exculpate me from it. And if there is real non-violence in me no amount of evidence that the Home Member can produce can make me violent. It is a matter between my maker and me for he alone can read men's hearts. I can only state that for years, I have believed in non-violence and its efficacy. I have seen it proved again and again in many instances that have come under my observation. In spite of whatever might be said to the contrary I know what non-violence has done for the Khudai Khidmatgars and I claim that their activities are a glorious illustration of non-violence and its efficacy. This does not mean that the Khudai Khidmatgars have become perfect human beings. They and I are trying to become the humble servants of God and therefore of humanity and we are progressively realising the virtue of non-violence and are trying to exercise it. Non-violence has become an article of living faith with many of us.

FOUR WITNESSES

And I would like to cite in support of this testimony of Shrimati Khurshedbai Naoroji, the late Vithalbhai Patel, Father Elwin and Devdas Gandhi. Shrimati Khurshedbai Naoroji and Devdas Gandhi lived long enough among the Khudai Kidmatgars in the Frontier Province and had every opportunity of coming in close contact with them. All four witnesses had made their investigations on different occasions and apart from one another. It will not be suggested that they were all duped into making false statements. Lastly whether I am ever allowed to go to the Frontier or not, I have confidence that the Khudai Khidmatgars will be ever true to the declaration they have made to observe non-violence under all circumstances no matter how provocative and that the voters of the Frontier Province will show at the polls by plumping for the Congress candidates that they are behind the national movement for achieving the complete independence of India which is its birth right."—United Press.

FACILITIES ON INDIAN RAILWAYS

Air-conditioned Carriages Will Be Available From April

(From Our Correspondent.)

NEW DELHI, November 19.

It is expected air-conditioned carriages will be available for use on Indian Railways by April and May next.

According to my information they are likely to be introduced in the first instance in first-class sections of lines connecting Delhi, Bombay and Lahore.

Provision will probably be made for levying extra charge on passenger travelling in air-conditioned carriages. All refreshment cars, it is regarded as certain, will be air-conditioned.

News received here shows that order has already been placed in England for five air-conditioned carriages, each providing for 24 passengers in sealed coach in oil-washed, purified air of equable temperature totally excluding outside atmosphere and making the use of fans and mosquito nets unnecessary.

BRITAIN AND PROPAGANDA

(Continued from page 6.)

sions between Colonel Beck and Mr. Eden. Millions of Jews, it is reported from Warsaw, are anxiously awaiting the possible outcome of these discussions. According to the Polish newspaper, the "Gazeta Polska," the country is over-populated. Eighty per cent of the over three million Jews in Poland are poor. Emigration is the only solution. Jewish finances abroad should, in the opinion of the Polish officials, provide the Polish Government, it is further reported, is searching for a place apart from Palestine where Polish Jews could immigrate.

Altitude Towards Spain

Against all the heavy odds, Madrid still holds on, which is not quite a comforting news to the "Daily Mail" and Mr. J. L. Garvin, who are anxious to see Franco in the Spanish capital. The diehards suggested to the British Government that as soon as the rebel forces capture Madrid, the British Government should recognise Franco regime though the Spanish Government will have its headquarters in Valencia. The withdrawal of the Spanish Government, though fully justified, is utilised by the diehard press to declare that General Franco and his Fascists have already won the country for themselves. However, they overlook that alive at Valencia, the Spanish Government of Caballero can still organise a resistance which, if they learn from their tactical and strategical errors in the past, may be extremely formidable. And by maintaining their Government in being, the Caballero Government has deprived the foreign Governments of any excuse for recognising the legitimacy of a Government founded solely upon naked force. Obviously, therefore, the British Government will not be able to please Mr. Garvin in asmuch as neither Britain nor France will be prepared to recognise a Franco Government in Spain, should one be set up in the near future. Consultations between the two Governments, I am told, resulted in a decision to adopt a common attitude towards recognition. Germany and Italy, however, are expected formally to recognise a Franco Government should the Spanish Government, as now seems almost inevitable, fall to the rebel forces. But although Britain and France are agreed now not to recognise a new Government, it is quite probable that they will do so if the rebel successes continue. A French Foreign Office spokesman declared on Saturday: "We have nothing against General Franco, but recognition must be withheld until it is seen whether one side or the other can restore normal conditions in Spain." In other words the two Governments will probably do as regards Spain what Mussolini confidently expects them to do in Abyssinia—recognise "the man in possession."

"UNITED FRONT" CONFERENCE

Several radical rank and file and other workers in the National Congress, the Trade Union Congress, Kisan Sanghs, Youth Organisations and political parties are thinking of calling upon all left elements in the country to assemble in a United Front Conference at Faizpur during the Congress Session.

It is proposed to consider there as to what steps should be taken to build a solid United Front Movement in the country to further develop the anti-Imperialist struggle and to advance the process of radicalisation that has set in in the National movement since the Lucknow Congress.

Br. ATTITUDE UNALTERED

Eden On Recognition Of Junta Govt.

LONDON, Nov. 19.

The House of Commons listened anxiously to Mr. Eden's statement on the British attitude towards Italo-German recognition of the Junta Government. He declared the British attitude remained unaltered. The House would appreciate distinction between the recognition of a belligerant and the recognition of either side as Spanish Government.

Asked whether the Italo-German declaration was not a deliberate breach of the non-intervention agreement, Mr. Eden thought it was possible to pursue the policy of non-intervention respecting the supply of arms while recognising one or the other Government. That was what all nations had hitherto done in recognising Spanish Government.

As far as non-Intervention was concerned, he said categorically he thought there were other Governments more to blame than the Italian and German Governments.

Asked whether British ships would be protected while taking goods to Barcelona in view of the possible blockade and bombardment, Mr Eden replied, rules governing international action would be pursued by British warships in defence of legitimate British interest.—Reuter.

SPANISH REBEL THREAT

Blockade Of Spanish Coast

LONDON Nov 19.

It is learned that the Burgos junta has informed Britain, France, and other powers that the insurgents intend to prevent the transport of war materials to Barcelona "by all possible means" Consultations between Britain and France regarding the naval position in the Mediterranean are foreseen in Paris in consequence of this.—Reuter.

WARNING TO BRITISH MERCHANT SHIPPING

LONDON, Nov. 19.

The British Government is considering issuing a warning to British merchant shipping as a result of General Franco's declaration of a blockade of the Spanish coast. The cruiser "Arethusa" is "en route" to Barcelona and the destroyer "Garland" has arrived at Barcelona and has orders to evacuate British nationals as rapidly as possible, if the City is bombarded. The French consider General Franco's blockade illegal and it is stated in Paris that that the Ministers of Marine and Foreign Affairs will take appropriate steps to ensure immunity of French citizens and merchant shipping.—Reuter.

ITALIAN CHARGE D'AFFAIRES

ROME, Nov. 19.

Sgr. Nobile Ciuttis, hitherto Counsellor to the Embassy in Spain, has been appointed Charge d'Affaires, General Franco's Government and is expected to move to Burgos. The Italian Ambassador in Spain who has been in French territory with most of his Staff has been recalled to Italy.—Reuter.

FRENCH AVIATOR FORCED DOWN

TOKIO, November 19.

French aviator Andre Japy attempting to beat the Paris-Tokio flight record was forced down on a hillside in north-west Kyushu and is reported to have been seriously injured.

Japy left Paris at midnight on Monday and reached Japan at 13-45 to-day when he passed over the Mono peninsula in the Nagasaki Prefecture.—Reuter.

"NATURAL STEP"

BERLIN, Nov. 18.

The recognition of General Franco is regarded as a natural step now that he is in control of a greater part of Spain, according to official circles. But it is stated that Germany's position with regard to the Non-Intervention Committee has not changed by the decision.—Reuter.

EX-DICTATOR'S SON SENTENCED TO DEATH

ALICANTE, Nov. 18.

Jose Antonio Primo de Rivera son of the ex-Dictator of Spain has been sentenced to death after trial by the People's Tribunal.

His brother Miguel has been condemned to 30 years' imprisonment on charges of complicity in the military rebellion.—Reuter.

Bombay Chamber Scores A Century

Governor Terms It As Parent Institution Of All Commercial Bodies

Proposing the toast of the Chamber of Commerce at the Centenary dinner held on Thursday, His Excellency, the Governor of Bombay referred in glorious terms to a centenary of its activities and termed it as the parent institution of many important commercial bodies.

Referring to the "new dispensation, His Excellency drew a picture of the dangers of surrendering to political pressure and urged the Chamber to stand by "sound commercial principles".

GOVERNOR'S SPEECH

Speaking at the Chamber of Commerce Centenary Dinner on Thursday, His Excellency the Governor of Bombay said:—

The Centenary of a body like the Bombay Chamber of Commerce is a milestone in the commercial history of Bombay, and to give an adequate account or even a summary of the activities of the Chamber in the last hundred years is the work of a historian rather than of an after dinner speaker. Anyhow I intend to leave that task to persons more intimately acquainted with the Chamber's past than I am, and I am very glad to learn that a history of the Chamber is being written. The present is a very fitting time for its appearance and I have little doubt that it will be of absorbing interest to all lovers of Bombay.

PARENT INSTITUTION.

When the Chamber was founded it embodied practically all the non-Governmental activities of the port and city. As trade increased and manufactures developed commerce necessarily became more complicated and specialised and individual organisations took charge of particular interests, but the Chamber has remained the parent institution and the guardian of general commercial interests. Until 12 years ago the Bombay Millowners' Association was affiliated, and until 1916 the East India Cotton Association was a branch of the Chamber. These institutions do not now work under the authority of the Chamber but, like other grown up children, they must admit its paternity. Its widespread influence is recognised by its representation on the managing committees of the Port Trust and Municipal Corporation. The trade of Bombay is of vital importance to these bodies and they are naturally whole-hearted supporters of the Chamber in the action taken by it, for example, to make known and resist the diversion of trade from the Port of Bombay.

FAST ENTERPRISES

A feature of the Chamber's policy in the past has been the far-sightedness with which it has encouraged enterprises far away from Bombay which were likely to improve trade and communications generally, and thereby increase the volume of goods passing through Bombay and the speed of their passing. To the founder and first chairman, John Skinner, must be given the credit of showing the way. Not only was he largely instrumental in founding the Bank of Bombay, a domestic concern, but he also warmly encouraged the development of the overland route to India in place of the journey via the Cape. The Chamber followed his example by getting the first railway in India built. It also associated itself with early reclamations. I am not sure whether the Chamber to-day is so enthusiastic about reclamation, but in 1860, they had certainly devised a scheme for reclaiming Back Bay, and it as well to remember that the old cotton greens, the docks and a great proportion of the buildings in Colaba and Sewri are standing on reclaimed land.

LOYALIST HINT.

I hope that this far-sighted and enlightened outlook on affairs will mark the Chamber's deliberations in the future. Occasions are bound to arise, under all popular forms of Government, when it may seem worth while to obtain a temporary advantage by yielding to political pressure at the expense of sound commercial principles. Any deviation from these principles is bound, ultimately, to recoil not only on those who have yielded to the pressure but on the community generally. I am confident that, under the new political dispensation, the Chamber will continue to maintain the high standard in the commercial life of the City which it has always striven to maintain in the past, and that its relations with the new Government will be as cordial and as frank as they are at present.

I have mentioned the history of the Chamber which is being written. I have been privileged to see some of its draft contents in advance. From these I have learned much of the remarkable family of Skinner, one member of which founded your Chamber, while another raised a regiment of horse.

I learn too that my predecessor of 160 years ago, Sir Robert Grant, under whose auspices the Chamber was founded was slow in action, but of great sagacity and determination once he had found an object which was worth while. He was also a noted hymnologist and was the author of some of our most rousing hymns. While I make no claim whatever to emulate him in this last respect, I should like in conclusion to echo his words in reply to the letter informing him of the foundation of the Chamber:—

"The Governor will be gratified at receiving from the Society any suggestion or communication directed to the advancement of the commerce or the improvement of the resources of the Bombay Presidency or of British India."

This has always been my attitude and I can only assure you of the interest I shall always take in your welfare, and of my wish for your increasing prosperity.

Mr. Halsall's Speech

Mr. Halsall, the President of the Chamber of Commerce, in reply to the toast of the Chamber, proposed by His Excellency said:—

As His Excellency has very kindly agreed to open the batting this evening, the first thing I wish to do now that my opportunity has come is to extend to him on behalf of all the members of the Bombay Chamber of Commerce a very cordial welcome to this evening's function. The second thing, and I know you will support me in this also, is to express to him our keen appreciation of the honour he has done us by proposing the toast of the Chamber, and our thanks for the kind words which he used in proposing it.

This is a great day in the history of an old, and I make bold to claim, an honourable institution.

The actual day of the anniversary, as you know, was September 22nd. Members have been advised of the numerous congratulatory messages received, including one from His Excellency the Viceroy. These were suitably acknowledged but I would like to take this opportunity of saying again on behalf of the Committee and members of the Chamber how gratified we were to receive those messages.

There were 25 original members of the Chamber, of whom 10 were Indian firms. No one of these is in existence to-day under the same name, but there must be several members who can trace their descent from some of those firms.

FUNDING LOAN LISTS CLOSED

LONDON, Nov. 19.

The lists of the Funding Loan have closed at 11-15 a.m.—Reuter.

ANGLO-EGYPTIAN TREATY RATIFIED

CAIRO Nov. 18

Following the ratification by the Chamber of Deputies, the Senate has ratified the Anglo-Egyptian Treaty by 109 votes to 7.—Reuter.

(It will be recalled that the Egyptian chamber of Deputies ratified, on November 14, the treaty by 202 votes to 11).

Sarma Sees Pope

THE VATICAN CITY, Nov. 19.

The Pope gave audience to Sir Srinivasa Sarma.—Reuter.

NINE DROWNED IN YARMOUTH TRAGEDY

LONDON Nov. 18

Nine fishermen were drowned when "Peter Head", a drifter capsized in heavy seas while returning to Yarmouth. The victims included the captain and his three sons.—Reuter.

NO QUESTION OF DISARMAMENT

Britain Must Bring Herself In Line With Other Nations, Says Lord Stanhope

LONDON, Nov. 18

"I am bound to admit that, under the present conditions of service, the voluntary system of recruitment seems to be a grave danger," declared Lord Stanhope, replying to points hitherto raised in the Lords' debate on defence. He said the recruitment of territorial army in 1936-37 had fallen to about 24,000 and, although, the War Office hoped to secure 40,000 recruits this year, they would still be short of 86,000 required to bring the total to peace-time establishment level.

The situation of regular army was, somewhat, worse for, although, 35,000 recruits were required in 1936-37, to repair the normal wastage, the War Office expects only 21,000, thus the deficit was rapidly increasing.

There was no question of disarmament in Britain until they brought themselves into line with those who had long since initiated rearmament. If it became necessary to increase, the Air Force at the end of 1937 programme in order to keep pace with those Powers within reach of British shores. Britons should not hesitate to do so.—Reuter.

ITALY IN A HURRY!

ROME, Nov. 19.

The determination to speed up military preparations was announced, following an all-night session of the Fascist Grand Council. A lengthy communique issued at the conclusion of the Council declares:—

"The Grand Council after hearing with pleasure the details supplied by the Duce of the nation's military preparations considers that at this special moment they must be accelerated above all in the aerial and maritime spheres."

The Council reaffirmed its determination to reach the highest possible economic self-sufficiency, especially "in sectors concerned with national defence."

The meeting expressed pleasure that as a result of the visits of Count Ciano to Berlin, Vienna and Budapest the basis was laid for effective collaboration with Germany, Austria and Hungary.—Reuter.

BRELVI FOR BOMBAY ASSEMBLY

Sardar Supports His Candidature And Terms It As Real Test Of Nationalism Of Bombay Muslims

Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, President of the All-India Congress Parliamentary Committee, has approved the nomination of Mr. Syed Abdullah Brelvi, for the Bombay Legislative Assembly, from the Bombay South Mahomedan Constituency and has issued the following message:—

Sjt. Syed Abdullah Brelvi has been nominated by the Congress for the Assembly election from South Mahomedan constituency, in the city of Bombay. The Bombay Congress Parliamentary Committee may well be congratulated on this selection, for they could not have made a better choice. Mr. Brelvi has made considerable sacrifices and suffered great hardships for the cause of the country. A more cultured, able and sincere nationalist Musalman it would be difficult to find. He stands for no personal gain or ambition and it is well-known that he stands for the welfare of the masses. As President of the Nationalist Muslim Party in Bombay, he had rendered immense service to the country. He has resolutely stood for Freedom of all communities and has refused to identify himself with any narrow creed which may lead to personal gain, but which would, in the long run, result only in the exploitation of all, not excluding the Musalmans

BETWEEN FREEDOM AND SLAVERY

The nomination of Mr. Brelvi will put to real test the nationalism of the Muslim community of Bombay and I have no doubt, they will feel proud for returning such a person to represent their cause. Let the Musalmans of Bombay make their choice. It will be a choice between Freedom and Slavery. Mr. Brelvi has consistently fought for freedom all these years, and to those who love freedom of their country, there can be no other choice. I wish him all success.

PARTY POSITION IN BURMA

RANGOON, Nov. 19.

The latest state of parties (excluding Indian and European) in the elections to the House of Representatives is as follows:—United G. C. B. A. 37; Dr. Ba. Maws Party 11; Chit Hlaing G. C. B. A 11; Non-Party 20; Thakins (Burma for Burmans) 2. U. Thein Maung M.L.A., and Dr. Thein, M.L.A., both members of the United G. C. B. A. have been returned.—A.P.

COUNTRY SOLIDLY FOR CONGRESS CANDIDATES

Jairamdas Daulatram Gives His Impressions Of Sind Tour

KARACHI, Nov. 19.

Mr. Jairamdas Daulatram, General Secretary, of the A.I.C.C. who returned this morning after an extensive tour of districts on the Congress Election propaganda told the "Associated Press" that the population in the rural areas were favourably disposed towards the Congress.

The Congress has so far put up ten candidates for the nineteen non-Muslim seats and are contemplating setting up two more for three special constituencies.

Referring to the office acceptance issue, he said that it was difficult for anyone to forecast what the Faizpur Congress might or might not do. It was quite possible that the issue might be estimated in its true proportions and therefore not settled there at all. Any controversy, at the Congress on issues which are not vital or not fundamental would unnecessarily cloud the atmosphere from the point of view the elections which in some provinces take place in the month following the Congress session.

SOLUTION THROUGH SWARAJ

Jawahar On Problem Of Poverty In India

WARDHA, Nov. 19.

Addressing, a public meeting on the Lajpat Rai Day, Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru said that the greatest problem facing this country was poverty and unemployment; and Swaraj was the means to solve it

Referring to the present elections he reiterated that the Congress Committees were inclined to select and adopt candidates and compromise with people who could not be expected to be with the Congress in the fight with the Government from inside and in the further fight outside the legislatures.

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru also appealed to the people to extend all possible help to the sufferers in Guntur district.

Seth Jamnalal Bajaj who was in the chair supported the Pandit's appeal and requested young men to go to Guntur District for relief work.

Pandit Nehru left Wardha for Allahabad from where, after a day's stay, he goes to Bareilly. He will not be able to tour Behar at present.—A. P.

THANA WILL VOTE CONGRESS

Poor Chances For Opponents

(From A Correspondent.)

PALGHAR, November 18.

Since the declaration of the Congress nominees for the ensuing Assembly election, everywhere the election work has begun in full force. The Congress nominees of the Parliamentary Board in North Thana are veteran nationalist workers of long standing and they form a formidable block against the so-called Independents and Non-Brahmins. Every thoughtful man in North Thana is of opinion that there could not have been a better choice from the Congress point of view. This has resulted in the Dahanu Correspondent giving a misleading report to the "Times of India", praising the chances of those who stand the least chance against the nationalist forces of the Thana District Mr. G. D. Vartak, Mr. V. V. Dandekar, and Mr. P. V. Patil command the respect of their voters and a selection of these candidates is a winning bid against the anti-natonal forces.

MADRAS APPEAL TO MAHATMA

Congress And Scheduled Class Seats

MADRAS (By Mail).

A meeting of the Madras Provincial Scheduled Castes Election Board was held on Sunday with Dewan Bahadur R. Srinivasan M.L.C., President in the Chair.

The draft manifesto prepared by the Sub-Committee appointed for the purpose was approved and adopted.

The following resolutions among others were also passed:—

Resolved that a telegram be sent to Mahatma Gandhi in the following terms:

"Pray intervene and stay Satyamurthi's move to put up candidates for the Reserved seats against the candidates of the newly formed Madras Provincial Scheduled castes' party representing all shades of scheduled castes' opinion of which I am President. If necessary will interview personally. Letter follows."—A. P.

"Nationalist" Candidates For U. P. Assembly

BENARES, Nov. 19

The Office of the Congress Nationalist Party, U.P., announces the following further list of its candidates for the forthcoming election to the U. P. Legislative Assembly.

Bhagwat Narain Bhargava, Jhansi (Dist. North); Dhulekar, Jhansi (Dist. South); Pandit Sitaram Sukla, Basti (Dist. West); Parasuram Rai, Ghazipur (Dist. East); and Thakur Todar Singh, Aligarh (Dist. West.)

Further names will be announced later.—United Press.

AGITATION SUSPENDED

Ahrar Leaders' Move To Start Negotiations On "Madhe Sahaba" Issue

LUCKNOW, Nov. 19.

The "Madhe Sahaba" agitation, which was carried on in Lucknow for the last five months by the Sunni Muslims and which resulted in arrests of more than 200 Ahrar volunteers, has now been suspended.

Ahrar leaders, who have been holding consultations for the last three days in this connection in view of the Governor's reply to the Sunni Deputation, announced this morning that "taking into account the whole question, particularly the desirability of providing peaceful atmosphere for starting negotiations between Shias and Sunnis, the Committee has decided to suspend the Civil Disobedience Movement."

The Madhe Sahaba Agitation Committee communicated this decision to the Hon'ble Member of the U. P. Government and it is now expected that Madhe Sahaba prisoners will be released soon, in view of the Governor's assurance contained in his reply to the Sunni Deputation.

It is reliably understood that Shias also are sending a deputation to the Governor to put their case before his Excellency.—United Press.

K. L. GAUBA ON BAIL

LAHORE, Nov. 19.

Mr. K. L. Gauba, who had two months ago been ordered to be released on a bail of Rs. 1,50,000 was released to-day by the Additional Sessions Judge of Lahore.

Already three sureties furnished on behalf of Mr. Gauba have been accepted. To-day the Sessions Judge accepted the fourth surety for the remaining amount of Rs. 37,500, which was first rejected by the Additional District Magistrate, and accordingly Mr. Gauba was ordered to be released. —United Press.

RELIEF FOR AGRICULTURISTS

Bill Passes Third Reading In Travancore Assembly

TRIVANDRUM, Nov. 19.

The Third Reading of the Travancore Agriculturists Relief Bill was passed by the Travancore Legislative Assembly to-day.

The Bill, which is an official measure was described by the Law Member in a speech at the commencement of the session as much more ambitious and likely to prove more beneficent than any similar measure anywhere else in India. No limit was proposed under the bill to the amount of agricultural debt to be conciliated nor their nature, while people coming under its scope would be much larger proportionately than elsewhere.

The bill proposes the setting up of conciliation boards to deal with agricultural debts and limits the interest rates on certain agricultural debts to 6 per cent and other agricultural debts to 9 per cent for a period of three years from the date on which the law comes into operation.

At its last session the Assembly adopted amendments giving retrospective effect to the reduction of interest rates from 1928/29 but Government amendments deleting these retrospective provisions were carried in the present session and the bill passed the Third reading.

It now goes before the Upper House.—A. P.

CLOUDS CLEAR AWAY

Tilak Nagar Construction Work To Be Resumed At Faizpur

TILAK NAGAR, (Faizpur), November 18.

There were intermittent rains throughout the last week in Tilak Nagar; and the construction work and its allied activities had to be at standstill. The Congress Camp was dispersed and many of the Congress workers had left for outside places. The beginning of this week, however, has brought relief and there was no rainfall during the last forty hours. There was only fifteen cents of rainfall on the 16th and seventy cents on the 16th instant. The sky is now clear and no rains expected hereafter. To-day the sun shines brightly over Tilak Nagar. The Engineer-in-Charge, Sjt. Ramdasbhai Gulati, has therefore ordered mobilisation of his labour force, and he intends to commence the construction work immediately.

JAMNALALJI IN FAIZPUR

Sjt. Anna Saheb Dastane had gone to Wardha to meet Pundit Jawaharlal Nehru in connection with the dates of the Open Session. After consultations, the dates 27th, 28th, and 29th of December are fixed for the Congress Session. Sjt. Jamnalalji Bajaj and Dastane have arrived from Wardha this morning in Tilak Nagar. Sjt. Gokulbhai Bhatt of Bombay, one of the Secretaries of the R. C. has also arrived.

OFFICIALS VISIT CAMP

Discussions are going on among the workers here for re-starting the activities. The District Superintendent of Police, the Deputy Inspector-General of C.I.D. and other officers visited Congress Camp to-day. They held discussions about the Savda Road with the R. C. officials here. Sjt. Anna Saheb Dastane, Dadasaheb Choudhary, G. A. Deshpande, Ramdasbhai Gulati, Engineer participated in the discussions. Postal authorities have also visited Tilak Nagar in connection with the Post and Telegraph arrangements, and it is reliably understood that Telephone arrangements are also set afoot.

M. P. C. C. MEETING

Torrential Rains Flood Poona

(From Our Correspondent.)

POONA, November 19.

An ordinary meeting of the Maharashtra Provincial Congress Committee will be held at Poona on the 6th of December 1936, when the elections of the executive of the body will take place. The question of recommending to the A.I.C.C. the name of the president for the Faizpur Congress will also be considered in the same meeting.

BHANSAHEB'S BIRTHDAY

In the absence of Sjt. M. S. Aney who is unable to fulfil the engagement due to his pre-occupation with other important work, Sjt. N. C. Kelkar has agreed to preside over the 60th birthday celebrations of Sjt. R. G. alias Bhansaheb Soman, M.L.C., on the 22nd instant at Satara.

GANAPULE'S DEATH

Death occurred on Monday last, of Dr. Gopal Bhaskar Ganapule who had gained a formidable reputation as an expert in the treatment of mental diseases.

HEAVY RAINS

Torrential rain fell in Poona twice, on the 17th, flooding all the low-lying parts of the city. Water in some of the parts was knee deep and traffic in those parts was paralysed for some time.

RIOTS CASE APPEAL

Of the 50 Muslims and 1 Hindu sentenced in the Sonya Maruti Riots Case on the 17th by Mr. S. T. Fernandez, the City Magistrate, 29, who had been awarded imprisonment, along with 15 others, who could neither provide bail nor pay up the fine imposed, were, in the evening removed to Yerawda jail. The remaining 7 were enlarged on bail. An appeal, on behalf of all those who were convicted will, it is reported, soon be preferred.

MADRAS DELEGATES FOR FAIZPUR

MADRAS, Nov. 18.

The election of delegates to the Faizpur Congress from the Madras city was held on the 15th and there was a keen contest for the fourteen places for which fifty candidates contested. The counting took place yesterday.

The following have been declared elected:—Mrs. Rukmini Lakshmipathi, Messrs. S. Satyamurthi, K. Bashyam, P. M. Adikesavalu Naicker, T. Chengalvarayan, P. Gopalarathnam, Mrs. Hannan Angelo, Messrs. Rajamanner, Shaffi Mahamad, P. Ramamurthi T. G. Lakshmanaswamy, Mailai Ratnasabhapathy Mudaliar, P. Dawood Shah and Pakiriswamy Pillai.—United Press.

ADJOURNMENT MOTION WITHDRAWN

Echo Of Banned Hindu Procession In Bihar Council

PATNA, November 19.

The Bihar Legislative Council to-day discussed Mr. S. K. P Sinha's adjournment motion to consider the situation which had arisen in Aurangabad owing to the refusal by the District authorities of Gaya to grant license to Hindus for taking a procession along the usual route for immersion of images.

The mover contented that it was the duty of Government in the interest of peace to provide facilities for Hindus to fulfil the obligatory religious duty of immersing images which had been lying for a month.

Mr. Mahamed Yunus and Hafeez opposed the motion holding that the matter to grant license should be left to local officers in the light of local situation and in this particular case Government had sufficient justification for not allowing a procession through a particular route.

HOME MEMBER EXPLAINS

Mr. P. C. Tallents, Home Member, explaining the attitude of Government said it was not strictly the case that license had been refused to Hindus. If local officers had allowed a procession to pass through the route demanded, there would have been the risk of another communal explosion when feelings were running high and a riot had already occurred. A grave situation was existing at that time and that was why this year Government was compelled to take this step.

After discussion the adjournment motion was withdrawn.

The House adjourned till 21st when the Governor will address the Council on the conclusion of the session.—A.P.

WHY HE WITHDREW FROM LAHORE ELECTIONS

Sardar Sardul Singh Clears Misunderstanding

LAHORE, (By Mail.)

Sardar Sardul Singh Caveeshar has issued the following statement:—

The news about my so-called "elimination" from the Punjab Congress delegates has created some unwarranted misunderstanding. It is absolutely baseless that my withdrawal from the Lahore Congress elections had anything to do with the supposed activities of the pro-Minister Party inside or outside the Punjab. In fact in the Punjab Congress circles, except a few, there is no one, who is in favour of office acceptance. I voluntarily withdrew from the Lahore City elections because, to save Lahore from unnecessary election trouble, the two local Congress parties had reached a compromise whereby each party got equal number of seats. I was offered a seat provided I could ally myself with one or the other of the parties. As the party differences were based mostly on personal factors than on any principles, I refused to ally myself with any of the parties, and as I approved of the compromise arrived to save Lahore from heat necessarily involved in an election I withdrew my candidature application. I may also inform that later friends from Sheikhupura withdrew one of their successful candidates in my favour and with the approval of both the parties returned me unopposed as a delegate to the Faizpur Congress.—A. P.

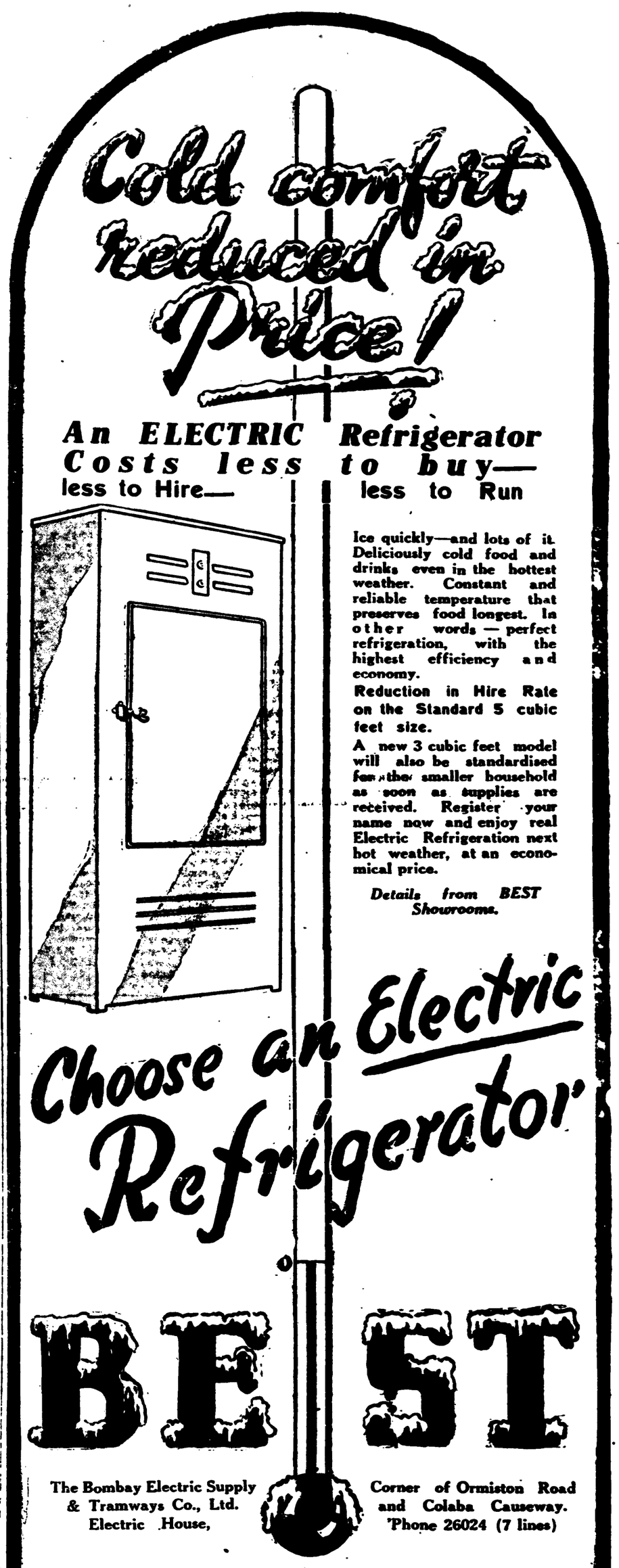
FRONTIER WATCH & WARD COMMITTEE

PESHAWAR, Nov. 19.

The Frontier Watch and Ward Committee, after completing evidence, leave Peshawar to-morrow for Rawalpindi where they will meet the G. O. C.-in-Chief, Northern Command. After a night's stay the Committee proceed to Delhi where the report will be drafted.

While at Peshawar the Committee visited the Gandab Road and the Agra Salient.—A. P.

Sjt. Pranlal Munshi and Maganbhai Patel are proceeding to Petlad Taluka to inquire into the agriculturists' conditions and organise activities under the auspices of the Praja Mandal, says our Baroda correspondent.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A copy of this Prospectus has been filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies as required under Section 92 (2) of Act VII of 1913.

The Subscription List will open on the 23rd day of November, 1936, and will close on or before the 27th day of November, 1936.
No part of this issue has been or will be underwritten.

The Dunlop Rubber Company (India) Limited

(Incorporated under the Indian Companies Acts, 1913).

AUTHORISED CAPITAL - - Rs. 2,00,00,000/-

Divided into 5,00,000 Ordinary Shares of Rs. 10/- each, 30,000 Cumulative Preference Shares of Rs. 100/- each, 40,000 Second Cumulative Preference Shares of Rs. 100/- each, 8,00,000 Shares of Rs. 10/- each which may be issued by the Directors as Ordinary Shares or otherwise but always ranking for dividend and repayment of capital after the Cumulative Preference Shares and the Second Cumulative Preference Shares.

Of the above shares 30,000 Cumulative Preference Shares of Rs. 100/- each and 2,00,000 of the Ordinary Shares of Rs. 10/- each have been allotted and are all credited as fully paid. 2,40,000 Ordinary Shares of Rs. 10/- each and 10,000 Second Cumulative Preference Shares of Rs. 100/- each have now been subscribed for by Dunlop Rubber Company, Limited and 20,000 Ordinary Shares of Rs. 10/- each and 10,000 Second Cumulative Preference Shares of Rs. 100/- each have been subscribed for by the Directors of this Company and persons nominated by them and all the said shares will be allotted upon the basis that they will be paid up in cash upon the same terms as the shares offered for public subscription by this prospectus.

20,000 Second Cumulative Preference Shares of Rs. 100/- each issued at a premium of Rs. 4/- per share and
40,000 Ordinary Shares of Rs. 10/- each issued at par are now offered for public subscription payable as follows:—

SECOND CUMULATIVE PREFERENCE SHARES		ORDINARY SHARES	
On Application - - - -	Rs. 50/-	On Application - - - -	Rs. 5/-
and on Allotment - - - -	Rs. 54/-	and on Allotment - - - -	Rs. 5/-

The Second Cumulative Preference Shares confer the right to a fixed Cumulative Preferential Dividend at the rate of 6 per cent per annum (but subject to deduction of Indian Income-Tax therefrom at the rate from time to time current) on the capital for the time being paid up thereon and rank for dividend next after the Cumulative Preference Shares and in priority to the Ordinary Shares for the time being of the Company and in a winding up are entitled to rank as regards repayment of capital and arrears of dividend whether earned or declared or not up to the commencement of the winding up, next after the Cumulative Preference Shares and in priority to the Ordinary Shares but do not confer any further right to participate in profits or assets.

(Note.—The fixed Cumulative Dividend payable on the Cumulative Preference Shares which, as above indicated, have already been issued is at such rate as after deduction of Indian Income-Tax—therefrom at the rate from time to time current—leaves a clear dividend at the rate of 6 per cent per annum on the capital for the time being paid up thereon).

The Ordinary Shares offered for subscription will rank for dividend and in all respects *pari passu* with the issued Ordinary Shares. The said Second Preference Shares will rank for dividend from 1st January, 1937.

Each subscriber shall be entitled to apply for and be allotted two Ordinary Shares for each Second Cumulative Preference Share allotted and it is upon this basis that allotments will be made. Applications for Second Cumulative Preference Shares only may be made but applications for Ordinary Shares only will not be entertained.
Particulars with regard to the right of voting at General Meetings are detailed in the body of this Prospectus.

DIRECTORS.

The Rt. Hon. Sir ERIC GEDDES, G.C.B., G.B.E., K.C.B., (Chairman, Dunlop Rubber Co., Ltd.), Chairman.
Mr. JOSEPH WILSON, Managing Director and Vice-Chairman.
The Maharajadhiraja Bahadur Sir BIJAY CHAND MAHTAB, G.C.I.E., K.C.S.I., I.O.M., of Burdwan (Bengal).
Rai Sir ONKAR MULL JATIA Bahadur, Kt., O.B.E.
Rai Sir BADRIDAS GOENKA Bahadur, B.A., C.I.E.
Mr. ALEC AIKMAN, C.A., C.I.E., M.L.A., (Director, Andrew Yule & Co., Ltd.).
Mr. CHARLES ARCHIBALD PROCTOR, (Overseas Director, Dunlop Rubber Co., Ltd.).
Mr. JOSEPH LUGTON GRAHAM, (Overseas General Manager, Dunlop Rubber Co., Ltd.).

BANKERS.

NATIONAL BANK OF INDIA LTD., Calcutta.
LLOYDS BANK LTD., Calcutta.

BROKERS.

PLACE, SIDDONS & GOUGH, 6, Lyons Range, Calcutta.
STEWART &, CO., 83, Clive Buildings, Calcutta.

SOLICITORS.

Messrs. ORR, DIGNAM & CO., Calcutta.

AUDITORS.

Messrs. FORD, RHODES, THORNTON & CO., Chartered Accountants, Calcutta.

SECRETARY AND REGISTERED OFFICE.

Mr. A. W. GILLESPIE, C.A., Dunlop House, P. O. Box 9053, Calcutta.

PROSPECTUS

The Company was incorporated in the year 1926, for the purpose of carrying out all or any of the objects set out in its Memorandum of Association and particularly for the purpose of acquiring the undertaking and assets of the business in India (including the Goodwill and the right to use the name DUNLOP) previously carried on by the Dunlop Rubber Co., Ltd., a Company incorporated in England, and in that year the Company became entitled to commence and has since carried on business. Hitherto the Company's business has been almost exclusively limited to that of importing and distributing the products of the Dunlop Rubber Co., Ltd., but it is now proposed to commence manufacturing operations in this country. In future, therefore, the Company will carry on in India and adjacent countries the trade or business of manufacturers of Tyres and Rubber Goods and of selling or otherwise dealing in such articles.

During the course of last year the Company purchased from The American Manufacturing Company, a Factory together with approximately 95 acres of land at Sahagunj, District Hooghly, near Calcutta, and this Factory has since been equipped with up-to-date machinery and appliances for the manufacture of Pneumatic Tyres and other goods previously imported by the Company into India. The total cost of the Factory with its equipment, buildings and machinery is estimated to be approximately Rs. 68,00,000, and it is considered that the additional capital resulting from the shares offered for further subscription, and from the shares being taken up by the Dunlop Rubber Co., Ltd., together with the existing resources of the Company, will be sufficient to meet the cost of the acquisition and equipment of the Factory and the contemplated expansion of the Company's activities. It is also considered that there will be an adequate balance available for working capital. The amount of the purchase money for the Factory and site and a large part of the expenditure on the equipment has already been paid and the necessary finance has been provided partly out of the existing resources of the Company, but principally by advances (totalling Rs. 58,64,000) from the Dunlop Rubber Co., Ltd., which will be satisfied out of the proceeds of the shares subscribed, with interest at a rate not exceeding 5% per annum. Under the Contract mentioned below so long as the present relations of the Companies continue the technical advice and assistance of Dunlop Rubber Co., Ltd., London, are available to the Company in the manufacture of its products. This assistance includes the institution and maintenance, for the duration of the contract, of a system of interfactory liaison and the communication to the Company of manufacturing processes by Dunlop Rubber Co., Ltd. The Company is also entitled to the assistance of Dunlop Rubber Co., Ltd., in the purchase of raw materials. The Directors are, therefore, confident that the products of the Company will, in all respects, attain the high standard of quality associated, throughout the world, with the name Dunlop, and that manufacturing efficiency will be maintained on a similarly high level.

Negotiations are in an advanced stage for the Company to manufacture the standard tyre requirements of the Goodyear Tyre and Rubber Co. (India), Ltd., under their specifications and inspection for a minimum period of five years, on terms which will show a profit to the Company and which the Directors consider satisfactory. The requisite equipment has been installed at the Company's Factory at Sahagunj for this purpose, and forms part of the total cost of purchasing and equipping the factory as above referred to.

During the period covered by the following Certificate, the Company imported goods manufactured by the Dunlop Rubber Co., Ltd., England, and that Company's Subsidiary Companies, who have retained a small manufacturing profit on the full cost of manufacture. The following Certificate has been given by Ford, Rhodes and Parks, Chartered Accountants, who have been the Auditors of the Company since its incorporation.

The Directors of the Dunlop Rubber Co., (India), Ltd.

Gentlemen:

In accordance with your instructions, we have examined for the three years ended 31st December, 1935, the books of the Dunlop Rubber Co. (India), Ltd., of which Company we have acted as Auditors since its incorporation in 1926.

We certify that the net trading profits, excluding interest on loan, for the period stated, after charging all Working and Administrative Expenses, including Depreciation, but before charging income or Super Tax, and after eliminating all expenditure incurred in connection with the new Factory at Calcutta and profits or losses on the sale of assets, were as set out below:—

Year ended 31st December, 1933	Rs. 7,37,628
Year ended 31st December, 1934	Rs. 7,92,537
Year ended 31st December, 1935	Rs. 89,010

We further certify that after deducting the dividends proposed to be paid in respect of the year 1935, the Net Assets of the Company, as shown by the Balance Sheet at 31st December, 1935 and exclusive of Goodwill, amounted to Rs. 50,10,000, included in which is the sum of Rs. 32,14,550, already expended in acquiring the site and buildings of, and partially equipping, the new Factory at Calcutta.

Yours faithfully,
Sd. Ford, Rhodes & Parks,
Chartered Accountants.

The Auditors' Certificate given above shows average profits for the three years ended 31st December, 1935, during which time the Company acted almost exclusively as Importers and Distributors, of Rs. 5,39,725. After deducting from this sum the taxfree Dividend on the existing Cumulative Preference Shares, and providing for Income-Tax thereon at present rates of Tax, the balance is more than sufficient to cover the fixed Preference Dividend gross on the Second Preference Shares.

The average profit over the above period is adversely affected by two important factors:

(a) During the three years comprising the average, more than one half of the Issued Capital of the Company has been surplus to the trading requirements as Importers and as from the 1st January, 1934, has been placed upon loan at 5% per annum interest, and no credit has been taken for this interest in the figures quoted above.
(b) The low profits of 1935, due to a severe decrease in selling prices and intense competition.

It has to be noted that these past profits have resulted from purely Importers' business, subject to the competition of other Importers, who include all the principal tyre manufacturers of the world, whereas the present Capitalization Scheme will provide a National Manufacturing business which it is hoped should realise a greatly increased volume of business under trading conditions more favourable to the Company, owing to the protection offered by the present Revenue Tariff on imported tyres, and the cost of freights between the foreign sources of supply and the Indian territory.

The Net Assets of the Company, exclusive of Goodwill, as shown by the Auditors' Certificate, amounted at 31st December, 1935, to Rs. 50,10,000, to which should be added the proceeds of the present issue of Second Preference Shares amounting to Rs. 41,60,000/- and the present issue of Ordinary Shares amounting to Rs. 30,00,000, making a total of Rs. 1,21,70,000. After providing for the existing Preference Shares there would remain in accordance with the foregoing figures Rs. 91,70,000/- which after payment of the expenses of this issue will cover the nominal value of the Second Cumulative Preference Shares proposed to be issued about two and one quarter times.

The following Contract has been entered into by the Company:—
An Agreement between the Company of the one part and the Dunlop Rubber Company Limited of the other part being the Agreement hereinbefore referred to which incorporates the working arrangements entered into between the two Companies.

Under the Articles of Association the qualification of every Director is the holding of, in his own name or jointly with another person whether as a beneficiary or as a trustee, shares in the Company of the nominal value of Rs. 1,000/-. Until otherwise determined by the Company in General Meeting each Director, other than a salaried official of the Company, shall be entitled to receive remuneration for his services at the rate of Rs. 1,000/- per annum; in addition the Directors may be paid such further remuneration (if any) as the Company in General Meeting shall from time to time determine; and such further remuneration shall be divided amongst the Directors in such proportion and manner as the Directors may from time to time determine and in default of such determination within the year equally.

The Articles also provide for the payment to Directors of travelling and other expenses properly incurred in connection with the business of the Company.

The right of voting at General Meetings is one vote for every Ordinary Share.

The Cumulative Preference Shares do not confer the right to receive notice of General Meetings of the Company or to attend or vote at such meetings unless the fixed dividend on such shares is in arrear for six calendar months or any resolution is proposed for reducing the capital of the Company or winding up the Company or directly affecting the interest of the holders of such shares as a class as regards dividend, return of capital or voting. Upon any question upon which the holders of Cumulative Preference Shares are entitled to vote the Cumulative Preference Shares confer 10 votes for each share held.

The Second Cumulative Preference Shares do not confer the right to receive notice of General Meetings or to attend or vote at such meetings unless the fixed dividend on such shares is in arrears for six calendar months or any resolution is proposed for reducing the capital of the Company or winding up the Company or directly affecting the interest of the holders of such shares as a class as regards dividend, return of capital or voting. Upon any question upon which the holders of the Second Cumulative Preference Shares are entitled to vote the Second Cumulative Preference Shares confer 10 votes for each share held.

The Minimum Subscription upon which the Directors will proceed to allotment is 10 per cent of the Shares offered for public subscription.

Copy of the Contract mentioned hereinbefore and of the Memorandum, and Articles of Association of the Company may be inspected at the Registered Office of the Company, or at the office of Messrs. Orr, Dignam & Co., the Company's Solicitors, at any time while the subscription list is open during the usual business hours.

Applications for shares should be made on the form accompanying this Prospectus and sent to the Company's Bankers or the Company's Brokers.

Every application for shares must be accompanied by a remittance of the amount payable on application for the shares (together within the case of cheques drawn on Banks outside Calcutta, an additional sum of ¼% of the amount payable with a minimum of four annas to cover Bank charges).

If no allotment is made, the whole of the amount remitted will be returned, and if the number of shares allotted is less than the number applied for the balance of the remitted amount will be applied in or towards satisfaction of the amount payable on allotment; any further surplus will be returned.

Failure to pay any amount payable on shares allotted will render previous payments liable to forfeiture.

A brokerage of Re. 1|- per share on Preference Shares and of annas four per share on Ordinary Shares will be paid by the Company on acceptance made in respect of applications bearing the stamp of any recognised firm of brokers whose partners are members of the Calcutta or the Bombay Stock Exchange.

Copies of the Prospectus and forms of application may be obtained from the Registered Office of the Company or from the Company's Brokers.

Dated the 17th day of November, 1936.

ERIC GEDDES,
By his Attorney JOSEPH WILSON
JOSEPH WILSON,
B. C. MAHTAB, M. OF BURDWAN
ONKAR MULL JATIA,
BADRIDAS GOENKA,
A. AIKMAN,
C. A. PROCTOR,
By his Attorney A. W. GILLESPIE
J. L. GRAHAM.
By his Attorney A. W. GILLESPIE.

This sheet should be forwarded entire, with cheque, to the Company's Brokers, to the National Bank of India Ltd., 104, Clive Street, Calcutta, or to Lloyds Bank Ltd., 101|1, Clive Street, Calcutta, or to any Indian Branches of these Banks.

THE DUNLOP RUBBER Co., (India) LTD.

FORM OF APPLICATION.

NO.....

To the Directors of
The Dunlop Rubber Co., (India) Ltd.,
Gentlemen,
Having paid to your bankers the sum of Rs.....being a deposit of Rs. 50 per share on application for.....2nd Cumulative Preference Shares of Rs. 100 each

Delete if unnecessary } and Rs. 5 per share on application for..... Ordinary Shares of Rs. 10 each.

in the above-named Company. I request you to allot to me that number of Preference (and Ordinary) Shares, upon the terms of the Company's Prospectus dated November 17th, 1936 and I agree to accept the same or any smaller number that may be allotted to me, and I agree to pay the balance on allotment as provided by the said Prospectus, and I authorise you to register me as the holder of the said Preference (and Ordinary) Shares.

Please write very distinctly.

Name in full .....
(Mr., Mrs. or Miss)
.....
Address in full .....
.....
Occupation .....
Signature .....
Date .....

N. B. The applicant is entitled, but not bound, to apply for two Ordinary Shares in respect of each Preference Share applied for. Applications for Ordinary Shares alone will not be considered. A separate cheque should accompany each separate application.

Bank charges at the rate of ¼% with a minimum of four annas must be included in the amount of all cheques drawn on Banks outside Calcutta.

THE DUNLOP RUBBER Co., (India) LTD.

BANKERS' RECEIPT.

No .....

Received this.....day of.....1936, from..... for the credit of The Dunlop Rubber Co., (India) Ltd., the sum of Rs.....being a deposit of Rs. 50 per share on.....2nd Cumulative Preference Shares of Rs. 100 each and Rs. 5 per share on.....Ordinary Shares of Rs. 10 each in the above named Company.

Rs.....

This receipt, when returned from the Bankers to be preserved by the Applicant for exchange in due course for Share Certificate(s).

A Page About Motoring & Aviation

Better Cars AT Low Prices

American Motor Magnate Foresees Hopeful Future

That the automobile industry is hopeful about the immediate future and feels that now all-time heights will be reached in car registrations in the United States is indicated by the address of C. E. Wilson vice president of General Motors Corporation, delivered recently. Mr. Wilson disclosed that there has been a monthly improvement in domestic sales of passenger cars and trucks of 2.7 per cent, based on a twelve-months moving total, during the last three years. While this rate of improvement cannot be maintained year after year indefinitely, nevertheless such trends do not change suddenly. Hence a good volume of business for the near future is forecast.

Mr. Wilson declared that U.S.A. government figures show a large increase in the percentage of the national income being spent for new cars. The industry's ability to get a larger share of the consumer's dollar is attributed by Mr. Wilson directly to the policy of car manufacturers in building a better product constantly and selling it for less.

BETTER CARS COST LESS.

Mr. Wilson said:

"In 1929 the average retail value of a motor car was dol. 895, while in 1935 it was dol. 690 for a much improved product. During this period the price of the average car has been decreased 23 per cent and the weight increased 6 per cent; this gives a decrease in cost per pound of more than 25 per cent. At the same time the appearance, performance and utility of the car have been greatly improved."

According to Mr. Wilson, the American public can use 35,000,000 automobiles before the saturation point is reached. This compares with total registrations of 25,550,713 cars and trucks at the beginning of 1936. Such expansion in car ownership, however, hinges on three matters. Any further increase in taxes, maintains Mr. Grant, will tend to defeat the maximum use of automobiles. Legislation pertaining to operation of cars must be intelligent and not too drastic. The proper number of roads, scientifically built to avoid undue congestion, is another consideration

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"THIS MOTORING"

Interesting Film Depicts History And Activities Of Automobile Ass'n.

"This Motoring" is an interesting film record of the romantic progress of the Automobile Association and its varied present activities. The picture which is being shown by the Western India Automobile Association at Pathe Cinema brings to the screen, in a most vivid manner, the difficulties and trials which early motorists had to face and tells of the part played by the Automobile Association in making motoring the safe, enjoyable and pleasant pastime it is to-day. Sir Stenson Cook's commentary is illuminating. The film is pictorially perfect and credit goes to the producers for its excellent photography and well-knit scenario.

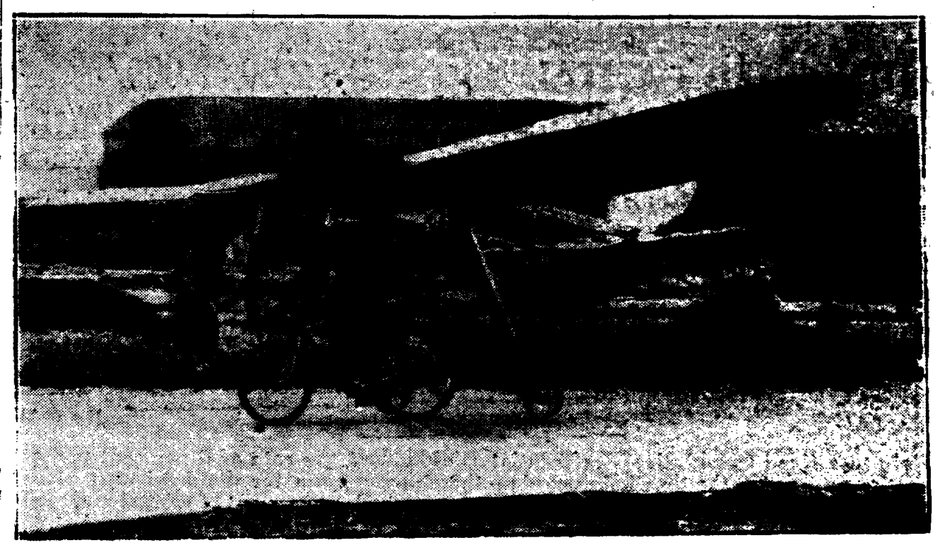
The local "supplement" of the W.I.A.A. was, however, a poor and crude attempt and came as a rather disappointing climax to an hour's otherwise interesting programme. Surely the W.I.A.A. activities are much more varied and interesting than to have a patrol in front of a particular restaurant and to provide repairs service to damsels in distress!

K.A.A.

ATLANTIC AIR MAIL SERVICE

The Dornier Do. 18 flying boat "Zephyr" of the Lufthansa took off recently from the ocean refuelling depot 'Schwabenland' stationed near Horta in the Azores. The machine started at 1-10 a.m. and alighted at the New York airport half an hour before midnight of the same day. Thus the distance of 3,400 kms. was made in 22-12 hours. This is the first time a 'plane fitted for regular mail service has negotiated the difficult east-west route across the Northern Atlantic. A second flying boat of the same company, the "Aeolius," again flew from the Azores to Hamilton in the Bermudas in 18 1/4 hours, a distance of 3,500 kms. These trips which are the result of years of preparatory study and effort, appear the more significant since the German Airways have not confined their operations to one route only, attempting several almost at one time.

AND NOW THEAERIAL BICYCLE!



A flight over the English Channel is the ambition of Monsieur Francois Baudot, ex-Chief Engineer of the Bleriot Airplane Works, who has created this aerial bicycle. The "plane" is shown in a trial run at Issy-Les-Moulineaux, near Paris. This run was just to "assert" the patents, and because of weather conditions and improvements that are still needed in propulsion, the flying-bicycle had to satisfy itself with merely taxi-ing just above the ground.

The Super 'Plane Arrives!

Five American Companies Combine To Produce Luxurious Air Liner

Behind the veil of secrecy in so far as construction details are concerned, work is being rushed on the largest land transport ever laid down for air service in the United States. Five major air lines have co-operated in placing the order for this new superplane. It is to be a craft not of phenomenal swiftness, as passenger 'planes of to-day are rated but one with enough increase in speed over existing types to shrink the map still further.

The advances which this giant air vehicle will represent are more specifically those of spaciousness comfort and exceptional factors of flight safety.

The goal envisioned in the joint order is flight by night between the coasts or between the Canadian border and the Gulf, with twenty passengers in comfortable berths; or flight by day over the same immense distances, with forty passengers in chair

COST HALF A MILLION

Behind the order, which involves an expenditure of dol. 500,000 for the first 'plane and dol. 200,000 to dol. 250,000 each for additional 'planes in quantity, is the desire which the airline feel to emancipate themselves from the uncertainties of air mail contracts.

Realising after their experiences in 1934, that they could not rely either on the permanence or the extent of this indirect form of government subsidy, five of the largest lines have made common cause in an effort to obtain a 'plane which will meet the growing demand for high-speed air travel and yet operate on an economic basis with loads of passengers and express only.

The specifications laid down in the original order (to the Douglas Company of Santa Monica, Calif.) take up 195 pages of print. In them it is sought to anticipate every important development in the next five years for safety, speed and efficiency.

THE RAPID DEVELOPMENT

With investment already large in fleets of transport 'planes, the airlines have been faced, in the period of astonishingly rapid development in the last five years, with the risk of seeing a new type emerge which, although only a trifle faster or bigger, or quieter than the one they had purchased, would have just so much advantage over their own expensive equipment while it was still, perhaps only a few months old and thoroughly good and flyable.

The new 'plane will not greatly exceed the speed of existing transport types, but it will be fast enough to provide true overnight schedules of not more than thirteen hours between any two cities in the United States. Its main advances from the point of view of the travelling public, will be represented in range, necessitating fewer stops for fuel; in roominess and in provision of subsidiary conveniences to insure a restful journey.

Cruising speed, on 75 per cent. of the horsepower of the four 1,000-horsepower engines, will be 210 miles an hour. As a safety provision a very high quality of performance with less than the full complement of engines in commission is among the requirements of the specifications. Thus the huge craft, with a wing spran of 140 feet and length of 95, must be able to climb to an altitude of 9,000 feet on any two engines and to take off over a fifty-foot obstacle after a run of 2,300 feet, or half a mile, on the power of any three.

In a craft of such ability, flights with the full day complement of forty passengers will be feasible between New York and Chicago in less than four hours, and between New York or Chicago and Miami or New Orleans in about five hours. Dinner in New York and breakfast in any of the Pacific Coast cities or the reverse will also be a matter of routine, and passengers will arrive at destination after a rest in berths larger than they can find on land

HIGH ALTITUDE FLYING

It is not planned to operate these giant 'planes in the sub-stratosphere. Operation there is a separate problem, because of the great difficulties of combining in one airplane a pressure cabin and the efficiencies that will permit it to operate satisfactorily both in the thicker airs near the ground and the thinner air at 40,000 feet.

The new transport will carry oxygen equipment, however, so that there will be no distress if conditions make it advisable to climb, for example, to 25,000 feet to get above a storm. The pilots will have control of this oxygen supply. It will be fed into the cabin through the ventilating system whenever it seems desirable. It is safe to predict that it will be frequently be used as the smooth airs and perfect visibility which usually prevail at 18,000 feet or so aloft will dictate flight at higher levels than are customarily reached at present.

The cabin, 40 by 10 feet, will be somewhat like a living room in a bit elongated. Like its predecessors from the same factory, the transport will be a low-wing monoplane, built entirely of metal. Into the leading age of the wide wing will be streamlined the four aircooled engines.

A HUGE POWER PLANT

The development of so enormous a 'plane has had to wait upon the availability of engines of 1,000 horse-power. Now, thanks to advances engine manufacturers have made to meet military and commercial needs, this power or even a bit more can be had for take-off and maintained, or nearly so, up to at least 9,000 feet.

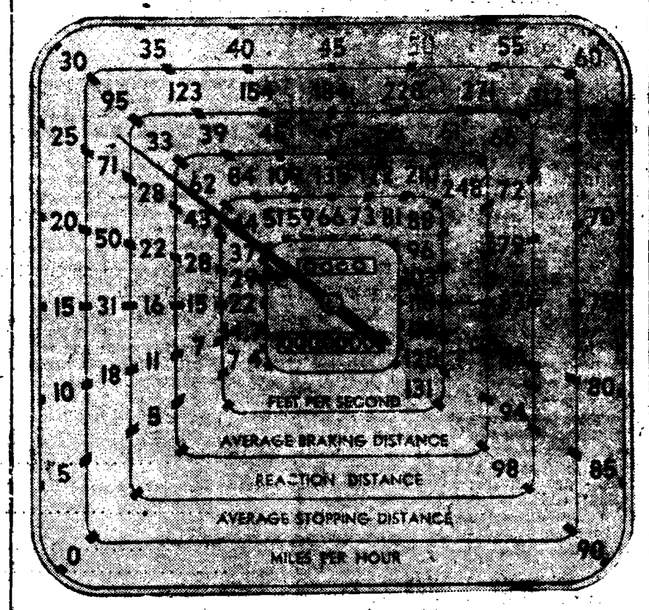
Nearly a year of study preceded the order for the first of these gigantic 'planes. That order marks the first co-operative effort of the kind in air transport.

SHARING THE COST

Knowing well that an immense cost for development would fall on any one operator who might attempt so large a programme alone, Juan T. Trippe, president of Pan American Airways; Jack Frye, president of TWA; C. R. Smith, president of American Airlines, and Captain E. V. Rickenbacker, general manager of Eastern Air Lines, joined forces with Patterson and Warner.

The first of the great ship will not fly before 1937. Regular service is expected to go in effect early in 1936.—"N. Y. Times"

NEW SPEEDOMETER



This type of Speedometer, which shows stopping distances etc., at all speeds, has been designed in America, where its use has been suggested to reduce road fatalities

BOAT-CAR

Vehicle For Land And Water Invented

In 1934, an inventor in Darmstadt (Germany) named Trippel, set out to construct an automobile which could be driven through the water as well as on land. His experimentation has now resulted in an "amphibious Zepp" with the usual stream lines having at the rear chip's screw which can be swung out. It is fitted with a 50 h.p. engine developing a speed of roughly 100 km.p.h. on land and 20 km.p.h. when in the water.

"L Z 130"

The Friendrichshafen Zeppelin Works Zurice, are now busily constructing the new airship, "L Z 130" which is to have the same dimensions as the "Hindenburg" and will be ready by the autumn of 1937. It is not yet known how the new zeppelin will be employed, but it is generally expected that it will be placed in the service of the North Atlantic Route with the "Hindenburg."

JOURNALISM IN 'VARSITY CURRICULA

Madras Committee Discusses Question

MADRAS, November 18.

The Committee appointed by the Madras University to consider the proposal to have a course of Journalism in the University curricula met at Senate House.

Some members expressed a doubt whether it would be possible for those trained under the proposed scheme to find avenues of employment.

It was stated that the University was contemplating a scheme of having a School of Public Administration. A suggestion was put forward as to how far it would be possible to include in this scheme, a study of subjects which would be useful for a person likely to enter a journalistic career.

A suggestion was made that the University should arrange extensive lectures to give some training to those who had taken up journalism. It was suggested that these lectures might be given to definite periods in a year, when it was just possible that mofussil correspondents of newspapers and those interested in journalism might avail themselves of these lectures and that if the scheme was successful, it might be possible to develop it later into a full-fledged journalistic course.

It was resolved to forward those two suggestions to the members and invite their views

The Committee will probably meet next in the second week of December.—United Press.

MOTORING MISCELLANY

Fewer Oil Changes . . . More Young Road Hogs . . . "Engineered Sheller"

Interesting to all car owners is the fact that many 1937 cars will need fewer oil changes than have been necessary with previous models. A prominent manufacturer in announcing his new cars, said that they have been equipped with oil and motor cleaners and that motorists will be advised that oil need never be changed, except for the Summer and Winter seasonal variations, if a new cartridge is installed in the cleaner when the dip-stick shows the oil is dirty. The development of oil conditioners which can be built into the engine system of applied afterwards makes possible the use of oil for thousands of miles beyond the previously recommended period of 1,000 to 2,000 miles. Filtering materials have been developed which takes out abrasives, water sludge, acids and discolouring elements such as colloidal carbon so thoroughly that the oil looks as good as new and is actually in its original state so far as lubricating qualities are concerned, according to another motor expert. This improvement is of special importance to operators of fleets of taxicabs, trucks and buses.

YOUNG OFFENDERS

Drivers between the ages of 18 and 29 were involved in most of the fatal crashes in Detroit (U.S.A.) one month the traffic division of the Detroit police department announced recently after making an analysis of motor accidents. The analysis showed that the most dangerous hour was from midnight to 1 a.m., that pedestrians crossing between intersections were responsible for most of the pedestrian deaths, that exceeding the speed limit was the biggest single factor in accidents, and that most accidents occurred when the pavement was dry and the weather clear. Twenty-three male motorists were involved in fatal accidents compared with three women.

"ENGINEERED SHELTER"

"Engineered shelter," believes William B. Stout, noted automotive engineer and designer of the Scarab car, is the next great industry. This new industry will arise from the manufacture of house trailers. Trailers are being made to-day with the main purpose of producing a camping vehicle, asserts Mr. Stout, but there is another angle to consider—thousands of these trailers are being used as permanent shelters. Detroit, now the leader in building trailers, should maintain the premier position in producing "engineered shelter," even if millions must be spent to do so, declares Mr. Stout.

OPTIMISTIC.

By the end of 1936 the automobile industry of U.S.A. expects to have produced and sold the amazing total of 13,575,683 cars and trucks in the United States and Canada since the depression's lowest year, 1932. This figure includes the 4,600,000 units which car makes estimate will be their output this year. That the industry expects the upward surge of business to continue through 1937 is shown by the capital expenditures being made by individual companies for added plant capacity.

Pioneers OF Aviation

Twenty-Five Years In The Air And Still Going Strong

A quarter century of flying and still going strong! Moreover, they are looking forward to another quarter century of the same thing. Both Richard H Depew Jr. and Beckwith Havens who handle Fairchid planes for the north-eastern part of U.S.A. from their base at Roosevelt Field are emphatic about that.

It was twenty-five years ago that Dick made his first solo flight, Aug. 13,1911 after what would seem a ridiculously brief course in these days, under the famous French pioneer Farman. He had gone to France with his family, a youngster in Cornell, and there he decided that he wanted to learn to fly. An indulgent but somewhat sceptical father agreed and so the young Depew won his wings. He has been flying ever since and his faith in aviation has not once faltered.

CATERPILLAR CLUB.

It would be hard to find a safer flier than Richard H. Depew Jr. and yet—he is a member of the Caterpillar Club.

It was about eight years ago when Dick had occasion to take a plane across the Alleghanies. The weather shut down suddenly with fog and mist building up from the ground to miles in the air. In those days 'planes did not have the range that they do now. He would not risk coming down because, for the reason he was carrying no one's son as a passenger. Just before the take-off Dick insisted on putting two parachutes on board

Those chutes came in handy With the petrol fast running out and no chance to make a landing, Dick and his passenger took to the chutes. Getting out, of a Fairchild of those days wasn't the easiest thing in the world but they made it somehow and floated down safely to a cow pasture landing. The two men picked up their parachutes and trudged to the nearest highway to wait for a lift. They hadn't been waiting long when a cloud of dust raised by a furiously driven car appeared in the distance. They hailed it as it came up. The driver was an undertaker and his vehicle a hearse.

NO CUSTOMERS

Where are you bound in such a hurry?" Dick querried.

"Two fliers crashed out here and I'm going to get the business," shouted the man of death. "Hurry up."

Dick explained that he and his passenger were the "business" and they climbed into the hearse and rode back to town after convincing the undertaker that they didn't have any corpses concealed about them.

119 TYPES.

In his twenty five years Dick has flown 119 types of 'planes. He has been a test pilot, an exhibition flier, an inscrutor and an engineer.

He was a captain during the war but his services were so valuable as a test pilot and instructor that he was kept in this country.

His partner has had something of a similar career. Beckwith Havens, however, is an older flier than Dick Depew—by about three months. He has the distinction of making his first flight solo. Havens was an automobile racing driver with Arch Hoxie and when Hoxie decided to go into aviation Havens thought that was a good way to get more thrills. Hoxie became an instructor for the Wrights and Becky joined the Curtiss organization at Hammondsport. He taxied a 'plane along the ground a few times and then took off. He was the first pilot to fly over Havana. He was the first National Guard pilot in the United States and he was the first pilot to carry a passenger across Long Island Sound.

DESIGNED ARRESTING GEAR.

Havens also has the distinction of making the first landing with an arresting gear, devised by him on the same principles as that used by the navy's aircraft carriers to-day. It was simple. He would place two mechanics athwart the course of his landing holding a stout manila cable.

During the war Havens was a lieutenant in the Naval Air Service and instructed many naval pilots.

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Corporation Comes To Decision At Last

MUNICIPAL MARKET NEAR BYCULLA BRIDGE

After months of haggling the Municipal Corporation reached a decision in regard to the Gold Mohur Castle property situate at Byculla Bridge and resolved on Thursday to have a Municipal Market there. The Municipal Commissioner in a letter to the Municipal Corporation asked for definite orders from the Corporation whether they desired a Municipal Market or a private market to be established there. Expressing his personal opinion he thought that a Municipal Market would be more profitable to the Corporation than a private one.

Sir J. B. Boman Behram moved to approve the recommendation of the Municipal Commissioner.

Dr. M. C. Javle moved an amendment to have a private market.

Mr. Mathradas Tricamji moved another amendment to record all the papers.

Mr. R. K. Vaidya moved the third amendment to have a private market and to sell the plot by auction sale.

Mr. K. F. Nariman and Mr. Mahomed Suleman Mitha urged the Corporation to come to a definite conclusion.

Mr. Mohanlal M. Desai moved the first amendment (which he afterwards withdrew) to sell the plot by auction sale.

The Municipal Commissioner left the matter to the Corporation whether they should have a Municipal Market or a private market.

The Corporation threw out all the amendments and resolved to have a Municipal Market.

The Corporation then adjourned till Monday.

PROSPERITY THROUGH DEVALUATION

"Financial News" On Curious Denial From Finance Member

(By Our Correspondent)
LONDON, Nov. 11
(By Air Mail).

Commenting upon Sir Osborne Smith's resignation a week ago, the "Financial News" pointed out that he was in favour of devaluing the rupee to 1s. 4d. and that many quarters were inclined to share this view.

This statement, the paper says in its issue of November 9 elicited a curious denial according to which "all suggestion that there is a movement in favour of the devaluation of the rupee are completely unfounded." It may be a matter of opinion, adds the "Financial News," whether or not it would be desirable to devalue the rupee, but nobody who has been following the Indian Press, or even Indian reports in the London Press, could possibly deny the existence of a movement in favour of that solution. Such a movement has existed ever since the rupee ratio was fixed at 1s. 6d. and recently it has gained in intensity. Whether or not one agrees with its object it would be ostrich-like to ignore or deny its very existence.

Again, whether or not one accepts the suggestion that devaluation of the rupee would check the outflow of gold from India, it certainly cannot be lightly dismissed. Those in favour of devaluation argue that it would improve India's trade balance, and, above all, it would improve internal economic conditions and would put an end to the distress of large sections of the population, distress to which the dishoarding is attributed in devaluationist quarters. Expert opinion is divided between those who accept this view and those who attribute dishoarding to the rise in the rupee price of gold, which induced many holders to take a profit on their hoards.

WHY SIR OSBORNE RESIGNED

CALICUT, Nov. 18.

At a meeting of the Managing Committee of the Malabar Chamber of Commerce, a resolution was passed requesting the Government of India to issue a statement of the reasons that led to the resignation of Sir Osborne Smith of the Governorship of the Reserve Bank of India, especially in view of the conflicting and unauthorised statements appearing in the press and requesting the Government of India to reiterate its policy regarding the independence of the Reserve Bank of India from all political influences.—United Press.

INDIAN COMPANIES (AMEND.) ACT

(Continued From Page 6).

viding that such director should not be considered part of the quorum at the time of voting. This change became necessary as in the Articles of Association of several companies provisions were expressly laid down for counting interested directors as part of the quorum.

Existing section 91C has been amended so as to cover managing agency contracts and prescribe a time limit for sending the abstract contemplated by that section.

Existing section 91D requires managing agents to file with the company a Memorandum with respect to Contracts in which the company is an undisclosed principal and place it before the next Board meeting. This section was inserted by the Amending Act of 1914 as a safeguard against the company being saddled with the personal transactions of the managing agent. It has, however, remained a dead letter as no time limit has been prescribed within which the Board meeting is to be held. The section has now been amended so as to require managing agents to send copies of the Memorandum to the directors.

THAT INDISCIPLINE AGAIN

Satyamurti On Tinnevelly Incident

MADRAS, November 18.

Mr. S. Satyamurti, President, Tamil Nadu Congress Committee, has issued the following:—

"I am glad that practically all the Congress members of the Tinnevelly District Board did not attend the function of presenting a welcome address to His Excellency the Governor of Madras during his visit to Tinnevelly, in accordance with the mandate of the Tamil Nadu Congress Working Committee and in compliance with their election pledges.

"I am very sorry to note, however, that the President and one other Congress member of the District Board have seen fit to disobey the mandate of the Congress and to break the election pledges. I am calling upon them to show cause why they should not be asked to resign their seats in the District Board. As soon as I hear from Members of the Working Committee on or before the prescribed date, I shall place the matter before a meeting of the Working Committee and take suitable action.

"Meantime, I appeal to the people of Tinnevelly District Board to convene public meetings to condemn the action of these two Congress members, and to call upon them to resign their seats from the District Board."—United Press.

Indian Sugar Merchants' Conference At Cawnpore

(From A Correspondent.)
CAWNPORE, November 17.

Arrangements are progressing for holding the All-India Sugar Merchants' Conference at Cawnpore will be opened by Hon. Sir Jwala Srivastava on the 30th instant. Mr. Manekial H. Parikh and Mr. J. J. Mulji are elected as Chairman and Secretary respectively to the Reception Committee, whose invitation requests the names of delegates to be sent before the 25th instant to the Secretary of the Reception Committee of All-India Sugar Merchants' Conference, Collectorganj, Cawnpore. The agenda includes the adoption of an All-India Contract for dealings in Sugar, consideration of the action to be taken for standardisation of sugar qualities, constitution of the Sugar Tariff Board, representation of Sugar Trade Interests before the Sugar Tariff Board, compilation of accurate and reliable statistics relating to Sugar Trade and issue of samples to the Sugar Trade Organisation.

The sugar trade view-point is that marketing of Indian Sugar being neglected, caused a loss to sugar merchants, who must unite and organise to improve their trade.

Allahabad.—A public meeting held under the presidency of Acharya Kripalani on Thursday congratulated the Ruler of Travancore on his proclamation throwing open the State temples to Harijans.

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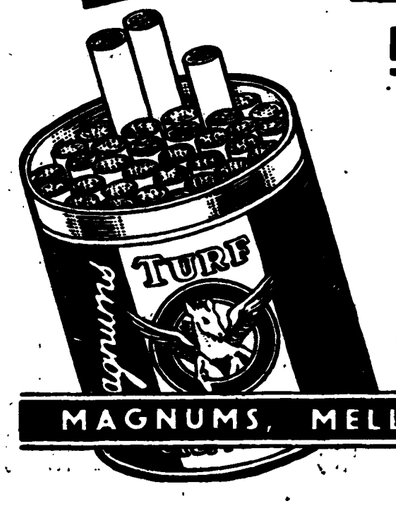

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Latest Commercial News

NEW YORK COTTON UNCHANGED

Bullion And Wheat Easy But Lead Firm

BOMBAY, Nov 19

On Thursday cross rates ruled quiet.

NEW YORK COTTON FAIRLY STEADY

New York cotton was fairly steady on improved foreign cables. There was hedge selling at the advance.

BULLION EASY

London gold and silver ruled easy.

WHEAT EASY

Wheat was easy on scattered liquidation. Lead was firm.

SECURITIES STEADY

The London Stock Exchange was steady. Giltedged securities also ruled steady.

COTTON

LATEST NEW YORK COTTON PRICES

MARCH 1937.

New York, Nov 19

Previous closing	11.63
To-day's opening	11.64
Difference	+01
To-day's closing	11.63
Difference	unchanged

LIVERPOOL COTTON

MARCH 1937.

Liverpool, Nov 19

Previous closing	6.54
To-day's opening	6.49
Difference	—05
To-day's closing	6.51
Difference	—03

BROACH EXPECTATION

April May ..... Rs. 216-8

N. Y. COTTON MARKET

New York, Nov 19

New York cotton displayed better sentiment to-day on improved foreign cables while persistent price fixing by mills also contributed to somewhat bullish sentiment however advance was checked by some hedge selling attracted by higher levels.

Trading in March began at 11.64 i.e. 1 point higher than previous closing Prices advanced slightly on scattered trade buying which took up some long liquidation with March rising to 11.66 but at this level the enquiry was less urgent with the result that no further improvement was recorded.

The New York cotton market finally closed unchanged at 11.63 for March delivery.

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, Nov 19

The following were the opening ranges:—

December (11.85/11.85) 11.79/11.78
January (11.74/11.74) 11.65/11.65
March (11.74/11.74) 11.64/11.64

LIVERPOOL COTTON

Liverpool, Nov 19

The following were the rates at 12-15 p.m.:—

American December (6.58) 6.55
American January (6.56) 6.54
Egyptian November (11.10) 11.22
Egyptian January (10.38) 10.39

BROACH COTTON

Bombay, Nov 19

The market was closed at night.

LONDON MARKETS

London, Nov 19

The rates at 3-30 p. m. were as follows:—

METALS

Tin (£234 1/4 buyers £234 1/2 sellers. Steady) £233 1/2 buyers £233 3/4 sellers. Irregular.

Lead (£21 13/16 buyers £21 7/8 sellers. Strong) £22 7/16 buyers £22 9/16 sellers. Strong.

Electrolytic Copper (£18 1/2 to £19) £18 7/8 to £19 1/4

Glasgow Iron (£78) £78

LINSEED

Castorseed Bombay November December (£13 11/16 sellers) £13 3/4 sellers

Linseed Calcutta November December (£13 3/8 sellers) £13 1/2 sellers

Linseed La Plata November (£11 5/16 sellers) £11 5/16 sellers

Groundnuts Coromandal November (£14 9/16 sellers) £14 11/16 sellers

TEA

Indian Pekoe (0-11 3/4) 0-11 1/2
Indian Pekoe higher (1-1) 1-1
Ceylon Pekoe (0-11 1/2) 0-11 3/4
Ceylon Pekoe higher (2-2) 2-2

JUTE

New Crop November December (£18 5/8 buyers) £18 1/2 buyers

Dunlop November (£22 1/2 sellers) £20 1/4 sellers

Lightning November (£20 3/4 sellers) £22 1/4 sellers

RUBBER

Spot (8 3/4 paid and value) 8 11/16 paid and seller

Forward January (8 3/4 paid and seller) 8 5/8 paid and buyer.

BOMBAY BULLION

Latest Quotations

Bombay, Nov 19
6-0 p.m.

Silver ready	51 10 0
Silver 1st settlement	51 11 0
Silver 2nd settlement	51 14 0
Gold ready	35 3 3
Gold 1st settlement	35 3 6
Gold 2nd settlement	35 3 6
Sovereigns	32 4 6

There was no business at night.

EXCHANGES

LONDON-NEW YORK CROSS RATE

Latest Quotations

T. T. NEW YORK ON LONDON

New York, Nov 19

Previous closing	4.86 29/32
To-day's opening	4.89 /32
To-day's closing	4.89 1/16

T. T. LONDON ON NEW YORK

London, Nov 19

Previous closing	4.88 15/16
To-day's opening	4.88 7/8
To-day's closing	4.89 3/16
Difference	+.00 1/4

FRANC RATE

London, Nov 19

Previous closing	105.13
To-day's opening	105.15
To-day's closing	105.13
Difference	nil.

LONDON EXCHANGES

London, Nov 19

London exchanges opened with the sterling dollar at 4.88 7/8 and after remaining steady with slight variations improved to 4.89 3/8 on good support.

The sterling dollar cross rate closed at 4.89 3/16

Franc opened at 105.15 and then advanced to 105.13 but subsequently weakened to 105.15 on lack of further buying.

The sterling franc cross rate closed at 105.13

SILVER CABLES

Bombay, Nov 19

The following cable information was received from London to-night.

"India bought. China and speculators sold. Market quiet."

LONDON SILVER

	London, Nov 19 Last Price.	To-day's Price.
Spot	21 1/8d.	21d.
Forward	21 1/8d.	21d.

LONDON GOLD

London, Nov 19

Gold per fine ounce (£7-2-3) £7-2-2 1/2

DISCOUNTS

London, Nov 19

3 months (5/8 to 11/16 per cent) 5/8 to 11/16 per cent

4 months 5/8 to 11/16 per cent) 5/8 to 11/16 per cent.

6 months (5/8 to 3/4 per cent) 5/8 to 3/4 per cent

CROSS RATES

London, Nov 19
3-30 p.m.

London on Bombay (1-6 1/8) 1-6 1/8
Paris on Bombay (7.936) 7.936
New York on Bombay (36.95) 36.96
Berlin in Bombay (0.91 3/4) 0.91 3/4
London on Milan (92.91) 92.84
London on Shanghai (1-2 17/32) 1-2 17/32
London on Kobe (1-2 1/32) 1-2 1/32

CHICAGO WHEAT

Chicago, Nov 19

Chicago wheat opened quiet with December at 1.17 1/8. Prices eased slightly on scattered liquidation influenced by lower outside cables.

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Liverpool, Nov 19

Liverpool wheat opened quiet but steady with December at 96 1/4, and March 93 1/2. Prices eased on scattered selling influenced by lower outside cables with some liquidation but the underlying sentiment continued somewhat cheerful.

WHEAT AND LINSEED

Closing Quotations

Bombay, Nov 19

	Rs. a. p.
Wheat January 1937	5 3 9
Wheat May 1937	5 2 3
Linseed May 1937	7 3 6

Wheat and Linseed steady.

WOOL SALES

London, Nov 19

Moderate selection was strongly competed by home trade, continent and Russia.

Greasy lower (0-8) 0-9
Greasy higher (1-9) 1-10 1/2,
Scoured lower (1-0 1/2) 1-0
Scoured higher (2-1) 2-3 1/2

INDIAN STERLING LOAN

London, Nov 19

The 3 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan closed to-day at £99 7/8 as against the previous closing at the same rate.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, Nov 19
3-30 p.m.

After early hesitation markets developed better tendency. Giltedgeds were firmer. Tins and oils were firm and fairly active. Industrials generally and Kaffirs were rather irregular.

BRITISH FUNDS

2 1/2 per cent Consols (£85 3/8) £85 3/8

3 1/2 per cent Government Loan (£107 7/8) £107 3/4

4 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan £109 7/8) £110

5 per cent Indian Loan (£117 3/4) £117 3/4

3 1/2 per cent War Loan (£106 5/8) £106 5/8

4 per cent Victory Bonds (£115 7/8) £115 7/8

INDUSTRIALS

British Celanese 2nd Preference (19-0) 19-4 1/2

Marks and Spencer Ordinary (£4 5/8) £4 5/8

Hydro Electric (dol 9 1/2) dol 9 1/4

Musical Industries (24-1 1/2) 24-1 1/2

Princhin Johnson (54-0) 53-6

Imperial Chemical (44-1 1/2) 43-6

Imperial Chemical Ordinary (11-1 1/2) 11-1 1/2

Woolsworth New Ford (171-3) 167-6

Realisation 1930 (£93) £93

Dunlop Rubber (35-9) 36-1 1/2

Unilever Ordinary (41-9) 41-9

Ford Motors (35-0) 34-6

Cables and Wireless (£6 3/4) £6 3/4

British American Tobacco (132-6) 133-9

Carreas A (£10) £10

Imperial Tobacco Ordinary (£175) £176 1/4

P and O S N Company Defd (39-0) 39-0

Distillers (121-0) 119-9

Bredford Dyers (10-1 1/2) 10-1 1/2

British Celanese (9-9) 9-9

J. and P Coates Ordinary (54-3) 54-3

Courtaulds Ordinary (57-9) 57-9

Fine Cotton Spinners (10-6) 10-6

Vickers Limited Ordinary (36-0) 36-0

Inter Nickels (£67 1/2) £66 5/8

Bengal Iron and Steel (11-0) 11-0

Tata Iron and Steel (£104 1/2) £104 1/2

INDIAN LOANS

London, Nov 19
3-30 p.m.

3 per cent New Indian Loan (£101 1/2) £101 1/2

3 1/2 per cent Indian (£100) £100

4 1/2 per cent Indian (£115) £115

4 1/2 per cent 1958-68 (£118) £118

4 per cent Indian 1948-53 (£110) £110

5 per cent Indian 1942/47 (£113 1/2) £113 1/2

3 1/2 per cent New Indian 1954/55 (£106) £106

AUSTRALIAN LOANS

5 per cent Australian Loan 1945-75 (£113) £112 7/8

TEA SHARES

Assam Company (17-9) 17-9

Donaco Tea (45-0) 45-0

Empire of India Ceylon (27-6) 27-6

RUBBER SHARES

Anglo Dutch Rubber (39-0) 39-0

Gula Kelampohg (43-9) 43-9

Rubber Plant Inv Trust (39-0) 39-0

JUTE SHARES

Barnagore (£9 1/2) £9 1/2

MINING SHARES

Nandy (62-9) 62-9

Burma Corporation (13-9) 13-9

Rio Tintos (£23) £22

East Rand Proprietors (77-6) 77-6

Rand Mines (£9 3/8) £9 3/8

MINE SHARES

Crown Mines (£16) £16

Gedule New (£11) £11

New Modders (40-0) 40-0

Sub Nigel (£13 3/8) £13 1/4

Spring Mines Split Shares (43-1 1/2) 43-9

Union Corporation (£9 5/8) £9 5/8

OIL SHARES

Venezuela Persian (54-4 1/2) 54-4 1/2

Anglo Iranian (94-4 1/2) 95-0

Burma Oil (105-0) 105-0

Mexican Eagle (32-0) 32-9

Shell Transport (£118 1/8) £118 1/8

Royal Dutch (£44 3/8) £44 3/8

HOME RAIL SHARES

Great Western (£82) £83 3/4

L and S Ordinary (£33 7/8) £34 3/8

L N E R Defd (£6 1/4) £6 1/4

Southern Dutch (£26 7/8) £27 3/8

London Paris 5 per cent (£136) £137

London Transport 'C' Stock (£97 1/2) £97 1/2

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

New York, Nov 19

The following were the opening rates:—

General Motor (dol 74 1/4) dol 72 1/2

Anaconda Copper (dol 52 7/8) dol 50 3/4

U S Steel Common (dol 77 1/4) dol 74 3/4

U S Steel Preference (dol 140 1/2) dol 139 1/8

New York Sugar

New York, Nov 18.

December	2.80+02
January	2.74+01
May	2.78+03
July	2.80+06

STOCK EXCHANGE IRREGULAR

Absence Of Sustained Buying

(SPECIAL CABLE)

LONDON, Nov 19

On the Stock Exchange details of heavy settlement restricted business. Absence of sustained buying coupled with some profit taking caused irregularity. Basemetal issues generally were firm but copper mines with interests in Spain weakened sharply, Rietintos falling from 22 3/4 to 21 and Tharsis from 63/9 to 63/9.

In commodities wheat was easier on bearish south hemisphere reports. Lead was strong on continued consumer buying.

Wall Street opened barely steady and then was steady and quiet.

JUTE SHARES STEADIER

Coals Steady And Teas Neglected

CALCUTTA, Nov 19

Jutes ruled steadier with fair turnover. Coals continued steady and business was on very fair scale. Teas were practically neglected. In miscellaneous Indian cables marked up further while among others Firpos showed good rise on last levels. Government securities continued steady. Following were the closing quotations:—

Government securities: Three per cent loan 1951/54 104, three and half per cent Government paper 100/12, five and half per cent loan 1936/40 107/12.

Banks: Reserve Bank 138 small lot.

Railways: Ahmadpur Katwa 996, Barasat Basirhat 60, Kalighat Falta 96.

Cottons: Bengal Nagpur 14, Kesoram 3/9, Elgin Mills 115/8, Gokak Mills 204/8.

Coals: Bengal 315, Burra Dhemo 3/6, Burrakur 16 small lots, Borrea 11/14, Equitable 36/4, Mundulpore 7 small lot, New Manbhoom 51, Nagira 7/14, New Tetturya 3/4, Sendra 13, Talcher 2/5, Bokaro and Ramgur 14/8, East Indian 17/10, Katras Jherriah 21/12, Minto 5/12, North Damuda 3/4, New Searbhoom 14/4, South Karanpura 6/4

Jutes: Agarpara 22/2, Anglo India 105, Baby pref 141, Barnagore 150 small lot, Birla pref 123, Birla ord 15/3, Budge Budge 286/8, Calcutta Jute ordy 20/8, Champdany 169 small lot, Dalhousie 330 small lot, Ft William 265/8, Howrah 53/7, Hukumchand 324, Kamarhatty 513, Kankanarrah 427, Lansdowne 152, Lawrence 425, Megna 30, Nuddea 44/8, National 24/8, New Central 327, Caledonia 440, Coraig 1/5, Clive 26/6, Delta 357, Gourepore 600, India 324, Naihati 364, Orient 183, Presidency 4/8, Standard 292.

Miscellaneous: Burma Corporation 9/12, Consolidated Tin 8, Indian Copper Corporation 3/12, Lister Antiseptic and Dressing Co 1928 10s small lots, Bengal Telephone ordy 21 small lot, Patna electric 18/10, Jubbulpore electric 14/3, Rawalpindi electric 27/4, Bengal Iron 8/3, Burn and Co ordy 292 small lot, Indian Iron and Steel 17/14, National Iron and Steel Rs. 2/8, National Iron and Steel paid up annas 12 premium, Tata Iron and Steel 2nd pref 177/12 small lot, Associated Hotel ordy 6/12, Associated Hotel pref 99, B I Corporation ordy 3/14, B I Corporation pref 152, Calcutta Safe Deposit 1/10 premium, Firpo Ltd. 12/8, Indian Cables 14/2, Indian Wood Products 25/16, British Burma Petroleum 6/3, Midnapore Zemindary 86/8, India General Navigation ordy 108 small lot.

Sugars: Buland 13/11 small lot, Balrampore 15/12, Cawnpore 34/6, Champaran 23/8, New Savan 12/4, New India pref 100, Punjab Sugar Mills ordy 250, Raza 16/12, Rammugger Can. and Sugar pref 105.

Teas: Hattikhira 22/14, North Western Cachar 183, small lots, Rydak 50/12

Rubber: Tapah 2.25 cts.

Debentures: Eight per cent New India Sugar 1st mortgage 106, eight per cent New India Sugar 2nd mortgage 102—A. P.

KARACHI MARKET REPORT

Karachi, Nov 19

To-day's closing quotations:—

Cotton Sind January	18	15 0
Punjab January	17	13 0
American January	23	3 3
Tone steadly.		
Wheat January	28	14 6
Wheat July	26	12 3
Wheat November	28	4 0
Wheat December	28	6 6
Tone steady.		
Toria February	37	2 6
Toria November	38	5 0
Toria December	38	9 6
Gram January	21	9 0
Gram July	21	5 0
Gram November	20	13 0
Gram December	21	0 6
Cottonseeds January	16	13 1
Cottonseeds March	17	0 0

American Cotton Figures

E P Bales	1936-37	1935-36
Receipts to date 18-11-36	4040000	4221000
Receipts yesterday 18-11-36	33000	29000
Exports to date 18-11-36	1957000	1926000
Stock at Ports 13-11-36	2564000	2970000
Seck at Interior Towns 13-11-36	2342000	317000
Stock at Liverpool 13-11-36	801000	465000
Visible Supply 13-11-36	6854000	6960000
Quantity in sight 13-11-36	7430000	7163000
Quantity out of sight 13-11-36	4112000	3660000

Chicago Wheat

Chicago, Nov. 18.

December	1.17 1/2c.
May	1.15c.
July	1.02 1/2c.

Liverpool Wheat

Liverpool, Nov. 18.

December	98 1/2d.
March	98 3/4d.
May	99 1/4d.

WALL-STREET MARKET

New York, Nov. 18.

Messrs. Batlivala and Karani have issued the following report showing quotations of the New York Stock Exchange:—

	Dol.
Amer Power and Light Com.	11
Electric Power and Light	16
Electric Bond Common	20
Electric Bond 5 dol Pfd	68
Consolidated (Gas) Edison	46
American Tel. and Tel.	186 1/2
Western Union Telg.	92 1/4
Baltimore and Ohio Rl.	22
Chesapeake and Ohio Rlv	73
Canadian Pacific Rlv	14
Erie Rly.	16
Great North Pfd Rly.	39
New York Central Rly.	43 3/4
Pennsylvania Rly.	43
Southern Pacific Rly	43
Republican Steel	24
Illinois P and L 6 p.c. Pfd.	53
Int Cement	60
Bethelehem Steel	71
United States Steel	75 1/2
Youngtown Sheet	36
Anaconda Copper Mining	51 1/4
Int. Nickel of Canada	65 3/4
Chrysler	136
General Motors XD	73 1/4
General Electric	52
Westinghouse Airbrake	45
American Radiator	23
Socony XD	16
Chase Bank	42
National City Bank	37
Sun Life of Canada	650
North Amr Com.	31
Electric P and Light 7 p.c. Pfd	86
Mathieson Alkali	41
Plymouth Oil	29

Market reactionary and likely to decline somewhat further.

Dividends:—Plymouth Oil 25 cents and extra 15 cents Westinghouse.

Airbrake dol 1. International Cemnt 50 cents extra 75 cents Amr.

Radiator 15 cents extra 15 cents. C and Ohio dol 1 and extra cash dol 2, payable in new preferred stock 14th Dec; also 70 cents on 1st Dec.

RESERVE BANK OF INDIA

Bombay, Nov 19

Consolidated statement of the position of the Banks scheduled to the Reserve Bank of India Act, as at the close of business on Friday, the 13th November 1936.

(i) Demand Liabilities in India	131,60,30,000
(ii) Time Liabilities in India	99,10,33,000
(iii) Cash in India—	
(a) Notes	4,79,89,000
(b) Rupees	49,79,000
(c) Subsidiary Coin	22,70,000
(iv) Balances with Reserve Bank in India	24,46,82,000
(v) Advances in India	90,69,44,000
(vi) Bills discounted in India	3,36,22,000

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Bombay Sugar

Bombay, Nov. 19.

	Rs. a. p.
Java ready	13 8 0
Nov-Dec. shipmen	3 11 6
Jan-Mar. shipment	3 10 9
Kesar ready	13 11 6
Saraya ready	13 11 0
Java Spot	F.4.40

(Continued from Col. 7.)

For Alexandria:—12 bales cotton yarn A. E. Ejel; 45 bales cotton yarn M. A. Ali Abdul Razzak.

For Beyroth:—43 bales cotton yarn A. E. Ejel; 19 bales cotton yarn A. H. Diab; 15 bales cotton yarn M. A. Ali Abdul Razzak.

For Marseilles:—70 bags Flea seeds B. Balwant and Co.

For London:—3555 bags Linseed Cotton Agents; 1186 bags Linseed, M. Bhuta and Co; 7280 bags groundnut oil cake meal, Louis Dreyfus and Co., 978 bags Lentals Louis Dreyfus and Co., 60 cases I. sandalwood oil, Thos. Cook and Son., 15 bales sheep skins D. Abraham and Sons., 42 bales Lamb skins, H. A. Aminoff, 6 bales Sheep skins Ralli Bros.

For Salonica:50 bales cotton raw A. H. Diab.

S.S. City of Christania for Liverpool:—60 drums castor oil Swastik Oil Mills Ltd.

For Manchester:—112 bales cotton raw B. Hukruchand and Co.

S.S. Hamburg Maru for Osaka:—1,000 bales raw cotton, Japan Cotton Trading Co.

For Kobe:—1,000 bales raw cotton, Japan Cotton Trading Co.

S.S. Warfield for Havre:—15 bales cotton waste P. D. Vora and Co.

For Hull:—134 drums Magnasium chloride, Pioneer Magnesia Works.

For London:—5 cases celluloid waste D. Abraham and Sons.

S.S. City of Benares for Liverpool:—40 bales raw wool M. Nissim

S.S. Kidderpore for Kobe:—300 bales raw cotton, R. Kanji and Co. 200 bales raw cotton, Anderson, Clayton and Co., 700 bales raw cotton, V. Ladha and Co., 57 bales raw cotton, Langley and Co., 700 bales raw cotton N. Manilal and Co., 72 bales raw cotton M. Amersey and Co., 100 bales raw cotton, A. Podar and Co., 300 bales raw cotton B. Gangadhar, 100 bales raw cotton, Volkart Bros.

For Yokkuschi:—1,000 bales cotton raw, Volkart Bros.

For Osaka:—700 bales catton raw, Volkart Bros., 750 bales cotton raw, Japan Cotton Trading Co.

For Kobe, Option Osaka:—300 bales cottbn raw T. M. Haisha.

SHIPPING NEWS

Imports And Exports

ARRIVALS.

Bombay: November 19.

B I S N Coy's s s Homefield of 3228 reg tons, Capt. H. D. Clark, arrived from Rangoon via Colombo, Tuticorin, Trivandrum, Cochin, Calicut and Cannanore with rice, timber, matches and general cargo.

B I S N Coy's s s Bankura of 1896 reg tons, Capt W Milne, arrived from Koweit via Persian Gulf Ports, Karachi, Bedi Bunder, Mangrole and Verawal with passengers and general cargo.

B I S N Coy's s s Gharinda of 3212 reg tons, Capt J Drummond, arrived from Rangoon via Colombo, Trivandrum, Alleppey and Cochin with rice, timber and general cargo.

O S Kaisha's s s Hamburg Maru of 3159 reg tons, Capt E Danada, arrived from Basra with general cargo.

Volkart Bros' s s Kota Agoeng of 4618 reg tons, Capt J Hamerama, arrived from Basra via Khoramshahr, Abadan and Bushire with general cargo.

B I S N Coy's s s Vita of 1955 reg tons, Capt E H Brady, arrived from Karachi via Cutch-Mandvi, Port Okha and Porebunder with passengers and general cargo.

DEPARTURES.

Bombay: November 19.

N Y Kaisha's s s Mayebashi Maru of 4321 reg tons, Capt K Mitsui sailed for Karachi via Cutch-Mandvi with passengers, local and same bottom cargo.

B I S N Coy's s s Goalpara of 3216 reg tons, Capt A C Miller, sailed for Karachi with local and same bottom cargo.

Lionel Edward's s s Wichita of 3833 reg tons, Capt J V Redmond, sailed for Calcutta via Colombo and Madras with local and same bottom cargo.

B I S N Coy's s s Varela of 1926 reg tons, Capt A Danebrook, sailed for Basra via Karachi, Persian Gulf Ports with passengers and local cargo.

LOADING.

Bombay: November 19.

The following steamers entered for Loading on 19-11-36:—

S.S. Vasna (M M & Co) for Persian Gulf Ports via Karachi.

ALEXANDRA DOCK

Bombay: November 19.

3 Wichita 3833, Colombo 19-11, L Edwards, Ltd.
8 Warfield 3305, London, 22-11, M M and Co.
9 Banffshire 4048, Bhavnagar, 20-11, J. Finlay & Co.
11 Strathmore 14144, London 21-11 M M and Co.
12 Kidderpore 3263, Kobe, 22-11, M M and Co.
15 Kenya 4646, Durban 25-11, M M and Co.
16 City of Benares, 6720 Karachi, 23-11, K. N. & Co.

VICTORIA DOCK

4 Varela, 1926, Busrah, 19-11 M. M. & Co

PRINCE'S DOCK

B Jalamani, 2348 Rangoon 21-11 Scindia S N Co.
C R Jaladuta 3089, Calcutta 19-11, Scindia S N Co
K Alavi 2157, Jeddah, N F. T Morrison and Co.

STEAMERS EXPECTED

FROM LONDON

Chitral, 19-11, P and O S N Co
Nagpore, 23-11 M. M. & Co.
Viceroy of India, 23-11, P and O S N Coy.
Rajputana, 26-11, P and O S N Co.

FROM DURBAN

Tairea 28-11 M. M. and Co.

FROM LIVERPOOL

City of Christiania, 19-11, Killick Nixon & Co
Castalia, 25-11 Graham's Trdg. Coy

FROM CHINA JAPAN

Denmark Maru 20-11, N. Y. Kaisha.
Ginyo Maru 1-12, N. Y. Kaisha.
Koshin Maru. 10-12, O. S. Kaisha.
Tokiwa Maru. 16-12, N. Y. Kaisha.
Naples Maru 18-12, O. S. Kaisha.
Shunko Maru. 28-11. O S Kaisha
Hokushin Maru 27-11 O.S. Kaisha.
Borneo Maru 24-12 O S Kaisha.
Buyo Maru 21-12, O S Kaisha.
Genoa Maru 26-12, N Y Kaisha.

FROM GENOA.

Carnaro, 28-11, Lloyd Triestino.

FROM RANGOON.

Jalavihar 20-11, Scindia S. N. Co.

FROM BASRA.

Bankura, 19-11, M M and Co.

FROM KARACHI

Ratenfels 26-11, Lionel Edward.

FROM NEW YORK

Pres. Harrison, 26-11, F F Campbell and Co.
City of Dundee, 5-12, F F Campbell & Co.
Steel Worker 28-11, M M & Co.

FROM CALCUTTA

Islami 20-11, Turner Morrison and Co.
Gazana, 18-11, M M and Co.
Jalarajan 27-11, Scindia Steam Navg. Co.

FROM HAMBURG

Sturmfels 19-11, Lionel Edward.
Barenfels, 28-11, Lionel Edward.

SAILING DATES

FOR LONDON.

Strathmore 21-11 P & O S N Co.
Viceroy of India 23-11, P & O S N Co.
Maloja 5-12, P & O S N Coy.
Carthage 12-12, P & O S N Co.
Strathnaver, 19-12 P and O S N Coy.
Ranchi, 26-12, P and O S N Coy.
Warfield 22-11, M M and Co.

FOR LIVERPOOL

City of Canterbury 23-11 Killick Nixon and Co.
Castalia, 2-12, Graham's Trading Coy.
City of Benares 7-12, Killick Nixon & Co.

FOR NEW YORK

Pres. Harrison, 27-11, F F Campbell and Co.
City of Dundee, 8-12, F F Campbell and Co.
City of Auckland 30-12, F F Campbell and Co.
Pres. Hayes 11-12, F F Campbell and Co.
Pres. Wilson 25-12, F F Campbell and Co.

FOR GENOA

Carnaro 1-12 Lloyd Triestino.
Victoria, 2-12, Lloyd Triestino.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

Kota Agoeng 18-11 "Oikari Bros.

FOR CHINA & JAPAN

Denmark Maru, 23-11, N Y Kaisha.
Hamburg Maru 30-11 O S Kaisha.
Mantai Maru, 14-11, O S Kaisha.

FOR BASRA

Varela 19-11, M. M. & Co.
Ellora, 23-11, M M and Co.

FOR DURBAN.

Karanja 23-12 M M and Co.
Kenya 25-11 M M and Co.
Tairea, 9-12, M M and Co.

FOR JEDDAH

Islami 24-11 Turner Morrison and Co.

GENERAL LANDING DATES

S.S. City of Benares 18-11-36
" Mayebashi Maru ... 17-11-36
" Goalpara (boats) .. 18-11-36
" Bhadravati (boats) "

IMPORTS

S.S. City of Canterbury: Agents, Killick Nixon and Co., from Liverpool:—107 bundles Electric Transmission; 277 cases cotton piece goods; 300 bales old news paper; 150 cases machinery; 650 bundles black flat circles; 34 cases sinks; 19 cases woollen piece goods; 36 cases and 14 bales cotton yarn; 43 cases Electric machinery; 23 cases Electric Fans; 10 cases Lead plates, 91 cases empty cartons; 25 drums creyslic; 50 kegs wire nails; 12 cases dry Aniline Dye; 12 bundles steel flush pipes; 65 trusses packing paper; 13 cases Grey cotton yarn; 30 kegs Aniline Dyes; 9 cases Leather cloth; 181 cases Whisky; 50 cases Alizarine Dye; 35 cases provision; 110 cases Bottled Stout; 34 cases Dobbies; 1015 loose paper wrapped Pneumatic tyres; 278 Ingots solder; 20 drums paint; 900 D/bags steel keys; 12 casks Lithage 175 casks steel tyres; 315 cases Quaker Oats; 400 bundles black close Annealed; 40 kegs Fornosal; 50 cases Jelly powder; 17 cases finished leather; 10 drums colour; 36 bags upholding springs; 20 cases Porage Oats; 158 bundles galv. plain sheets; 20 drums puborate of Soda; 8 cases Alluminium sheets; 200 kegs Bicark Soda; 300 drums Bleaching powder; 148 bales Floor covering; 34 cases cardboard, 235 drums Lubricating oil; 33 cases Lubricatng grease; 30 cases galv. roofing screws; 60 bundles and 16 loose Steel bars; 35 cases peck heads; 77 loose E'ware pans; 37 loose Lavatories 36 loose C. J. cisterns; 51 pieces E'ware; 60 sk. cases E'ware tiles 15 baks rivets; 18 pieces fire clayware; 2043 coils steel hooks; 110 D/bags Rail anchors; 10 coils M. S. wire; 82 cases choe and choe confy; 20 cases copra; 11 drums Telephone cables; 25 cases Tissue paper; 71 cases canned fruit; 3 cases and 13 bundles Motor car tyre covers; 107 loose Motor car outer covers; 51 bundles Motor car inner tyre tubes 22 rolls BRC fabric; 200 bundles black C. A. Sheet needles; 40 bundles and 32 loose Brass rods; 4 cases Electric motors; 20 cases Brandy; 44 pieces W. I. pulleys; 48 cases Weaving machinery; 448 bundles yellow metal bars.

From Marseilles:—300 bags Almonds inshell; 60 cases Vermouth.

From Port Said:—400 bales Egyptian cotton; 102 bales cotton.

EXPORTS

S.S. Strathmore for Tripoli:—16 bales cotton yarn A. E. Ejel.

(Continued in Col. 8)

Hesitant Feeling In Cotton Trade

Operators Await Government's Plan For Next Season

LONG LIQUIDATION AND HEDGE SELLING

Bombay, Nov. 19.

Operators on the New York cotton market were hesitant. There was little outside buying owing to continued uncertainty over the export outlet and Government's plans for the next season as well as the disposition of its spot cotton holdings.

The market opened steady with liquidation and hedge selling which gave prices a heavier tone despite good demand for December from trade shorts.

Textiles continued active with good demand and spot basis were firm. Finally prices declined on further increased liquidation.

The market opened at a decline of one point with 11.74 for March and improved to 11.75 which was the highest level. Later prices declined 12 points from the highest level and March was quoted 11.63 which was the lowest level reached at the close. The market closed at a decline of 8 to 12 points. Spot cotton prices were 10 points down at 12.20c.

NEW ORLEANS MARKET

The New Orleans cotton futures market was easy and closed at a decline of 8 to 12 points. Spot cotton prices improved 2 points at 12.25c. per lb.

LIVERPOOL MARKET

The Liverpool cotton futures market was steady at the opening with prices unchanged. There was trade calling with local selling on weakness of Sakels. Later on there was small trade calling and scattered hedge selling. The market closed unchanged to one point up. Middling American spot cotton prices were one point down at 6-83d.

INDIAN COTTON

East Indian cotton futures market was firm with active demand and closed at a rise of 3 points. At the close January, March and May were quoted 5.45.

EGYPTIAN COTTON

Egyptian cotton futures market was weak with heavy selling in Sakels futures which declined 32 to 14 points. Spot cotton prices dropped 46 points at 11.15. Uppers were quiet and closed at a decline of 2 points with spot cotton 4 points down at 7.42.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET

The Alexandria cotton futures market was easy with further liquidation. Sakels lost 31 to 28 points and Ashmouni futures were 11 to 9 points down.

Only a week ago it was rumoured that the leading Co-operatives in America had advised clients to sell, forecasting lower prices.

About the same time press reports from Washington implied that the Secretary for Agriculture might favour postponement of new production control plans until a big crop year brought a large surplus and a lower price trend, state Messrs. Langley and Co.

It took Mr. Roosevelt three years to liquidate the last large surplus and clear up the mess resulting therefrom. His opponents say he is a queer fellow. But we doubt whether, for the sheer joy of liquidating it—or leaving the liquidation to his successor—he would deliberately create another surplus.

BEAR PROPHECIES

Yet, such statements do the market good insofar as they tend to encourage liquidation and, even more important, short selling. For too long the diet of the cotton market has been unbalanced by a preponderance of bull statistics. A few more bear prophecies might have been welcome.

It was, in fact, a pity that 11¼ cents again proved a price level difficult to break.

But opinions are still sharply divided on the price trend.

With a 12½ million supply, the outlook is obviously less attractive than it was with a supply prospect of 11¼ millions. Also there is some doubt about the continuance of exports on a high scale, although the figures we published last week tend to show that fears have probably been exaggerated.

On the other side of the picture there is the broad domestic demand in America. Textile sales last week were three times production and there is more than a little room for increased takings by Britain.

OUTSIDER COMPLEX

As for the "outsider" complex, so long a market factor, the Chinese crop is now officially placed at 3,850,000 bales of 500 lbs. compared with 4,368,000 estimated on the 20th August. The latest Brazilian figures point to a crop of 1,380 000 to 1,480,000 bales compared to the earlier estimates of 1,600,000 to 1,700,000. Regarding Russia, figures are quoted in tons including seeds. That makes it rather more difficult. So far as it can be ascertained production and requirements in Russia just about balance.

Our conclusion about it is that most of the bear points have had ample opportunity of getting into the price, leaving the fact that most of the American crop has now been hedged a dominant factor. Much more of the present crop has been hedged than of any crop in recent years. Hedge lifting should be a very important factor during the next six months.

We still prefer the constructive side of the American market and if by any chance prices do break 11¼ cents we very strongly favour purchases.

PRIVATE CABLES.

N. Y. March Highest (10-4 a.m.) 11.75
N. Y. March Lowest (3 p.m.) ..... 11.63—12

Messrs. Chunilal Mehta and Co., Ltd, have received to-day the following cable information from their Foreign Friends:—

Liverpool.—Dull trading market. Outside speculation disinclined to operate pending clarification of Washington loan cotton and 1937 acreage policy. It is generally thought that some cotton will be released after turn of year at aroung twelve cent level.

New York.—Liquidation December and hedge selling distant.

Messrs. Devkaran Nanjee have received the following cable advices from their foreign friends:—

Liverpool:—"Increased supplies offset by continued textile activity. Market technical sounder. Don't expect much change for present and would lighten holdings on moderates advances."

New York:—"Eased off on long liquidation in December and hedge selling. To-day's buying mostly for trade. Trading market."

"Speculative long liquidation in the near months absorbed by trade interests. Technical position of market has been improving steadily."

Messrs. Reynolds and Gibson have sent the following cable to Messrs. Breul and Co.

Cotton: Increased supplies offset by continued textile activity; market technically sounder. We do not expect much change for the present; would lighten holdings on moderate advances.

Rubber: Quiet; price advance and decreasing stocks may precipitate additional release; if market then breaks would buy. 8 13/16.

Metals: Think all moving higher long run sustained demand but expect fluctuations.

Cocoa: Nigerian crop reported smaller than last year; Accra only moderate; expect further advance.

NEW YORK COTTON.
New York, Nov. 18.

December	11.7?—10
January	11.65—06
March	11.63—12
May	11.61—10
July	11.50—10
October	11.15—10
Middling Spot	12.20—10

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.
New York, Nov. 18.

December	11.75—08
January	11.58—12
March	11.61—11
Middling Spot	12.25+02
11-0 a.m. Ranges.—	
December	11.83/11.88
January	11.71/11.71
March	11.71/11.71
Noon Call.	
December	11.82
March	11.71

NEW YORK COTTON DAILY STATISTICS.
New York, Nov. 18.

	bales.
Day's Receipts at all U.S. Ports	33,000
Day's Exports to Great Britain	300
Day's Exports to the Continent	29,000

LIVERPOOL COTTON.
Liverpool, Nov. 18.

November	6.62
December	6.59
January	6.57
February	6.55
March	6.54
April	6.52
May	6.50
June	6.47
July	6.45+01
August	6.29
September	6.23
October	6.18
November	6.14
Middling spot	6.80—01
10-12 a.m. quotations:—	
January	6.57
March	6.54

EGYPTIAN COTTON.
Liverpool, Nov. 18.

F.G.F. SAKELLARIDIS.—	
November	11.09
January	10.41
March	10.29
May	10.21
July	10.11
August	10.11
September	10.11
F.G.F. Spot	11 15

INDIAN COTTON.
Liverpool, Nov. 18.

BROACH.—	
Fully Good Good Staple)	5 18
Fine (Good Staple)	5.63
Superfine (Good Staple)	5.78
OOMRA.—	
Fine (No 1 staple)	5.52
Superfine (No 1 staple)	5.67
Choice (No 1 staple)	5.52
BENGAL—	
Good	4.31
Fully Good	4.41
Fine	4.53

BOMBAY COTTON

Bombay, Nov. 19.

Following a decline of 12 points in New York cotton futures the local market opened at Rs. 215/12 for Broach A/M. delivery and improved to Rs. 216 with scattered buying. Business was restricted and fluctuations were narrow.

Recent widespread rains over cotton growing districts are expected to have beneficial effect Messrs. Langley and Co., in their weekly report state:—

"The cyclonic storm which brought, in varying degrees, rainfall to most of the cotton tracts in India appears now to have taken its place in history. It is over. Its effects, however, cannot be stated quite so definitely.

In this country we are used to a rainy season from mid-June to the end of September. In America large cotton crops are grown with rainfall prospects much less clearly defined. The "late rains" of India, apt to be assessed without question as unfavourable are, in America, commonplace. And farmers the world over want higher prices.

The Bombay futures market reflected majority opinion by narrowing the "spreads" between Broach and the Oomra and Bengal contracts.

In Broach and Gujerat, both of which districts had been under average in rainfall and where crops do not mature until the early months of next year, the recent rain cannot have done harm and might have done much good.

Khandeish an early crop, was picked in some considerable quantity. Prospects for the top crop are improved.

The Berar district is th most difficult to assess. The quality range will be widened considerably. Quantity damage is estimated at 10 per cent, qualified by the probability of later pickings making up the immediate loss from bolls being knocked off the trees. Meanwhile, arrivals in Amraoti yesterday were 1,000 bales.

In the Central Provinces high grade cotton will command a premium. There should be little effect on quantity.

In Sind the rainfall was unseasonable, affecting the long staple crop already of only moderate quality.

Elsewhere rain did good rather than harm."

In sympathy with an overnight decline in New York cotton prices, the Liverpool market was due to open at a decline of 4 points and it opened 5 down and the local market was quiet with Broach A/M quoted at Rs. 215/12. The market closed at 5-30 p.m. as under:—

	Rs.	a.	p.
Broach A-M	216	4	0
Oomra D-J	198	12	0
Oomra March	197	0	0
Bengal D-J	160	0	0
Bengal March	161	12	0

Cotton Room Rates

Bombay, Nov 19

	Extra.	Sprfine	Sup Fine	FG	Good
M G—					
Bengal U P	...	171	168	165	162
Punjab	...	171	168	165	162
Oomra No. 3		210	207	204	202
C P No. 4		234	231	228	216
C P No. 2		214	211	208	206

Ready Cotton Quotations

Bombay, Nov. 19.

Bengal Superfine	171/173
Bengal Fine	168/169
C.P. 1 Fine	216/218
C.P. 2 Fine	207/209
Arvi Fine	207/209
Ellichpur Fine	205/206
Berar Fine	206/205
Khamgaon Fine	204/205
Mulkapur Fine	202/203
Khandesh Fine	201/202
Jalna/Sailu Fine	201/202
Burwah Sanavad Fine 1935-36 crop.	204/206
Broach	211/216
Dhollera	203/206
Punjab/American	204/206
Sindh-American	201/206
Sind, N.T	223/228
Punjab 289F	236/241
Cambodia	246/251
Compta	206/211
Westerns	201/211
Miraj	201/206
Jagadia Ankleshwar	236/238
Surat	244/246
Navsari	246/251

Indian Cotton Figures

Bombay, Nov 19

RECEIPTS INTO BOMBAY
Since 1st Sept.

In full-pressed bales	Yesterday.	This	year.
Khandesh	530		3,850
Central India	986		7,991
Barsi and Nagar	1,557		9,915
Hyderabad Gaorani	255		1,114
Berar	4,296		30,798
Central Provinces	1,189		4,011
Total Oomras	8,795		57,579
Dholera	...		1,918
N W Provinces	189		1,601
Rajputana	55		1,848
Sind-Punjab	3,116		34,205
Broach	...		2,188
Coompta and Dharwar	102		5,671
Westerns-Northerns	120		4,053
Tinnevelly and Cambodia	...		967
Persian	...		3
American	...		1,302
Egyptian and African	5,479		41,573
Comilla, Burma and other sorts	...		1
Total	16,836		152,914

Exports From Bombay

1st Sept to 12th Nov

In full-pressed bales	Yesterday	This year
Europe	972	51,753
Japan and China	5,370	96,626
Coast Ports	...	4,041
Up-country by Rail	...	34,731
Afloat in harbour for Europe, China and Japan	...	10,062
Total	6,342	199,813

NEW YORK COFFEE

New York, Nov. 18.

Fair Rio Coffee (No. 7 quality) 8 1/2

LINSEED OIL

London, Nov. 18.

Linseed Oil naked London pet cwt. Dec. sellers 25
Linseed Oil naked London per cwt. Jan-Apr. sellers 25

GOLD AND SILVER

Bombay, Nov. 19.

Yesterday London gold prices declined one penny to £6-2-3.

London-Paris Exchange rate was 3 points down at 105.13.

Dollar-Sterling cross rate closed 4.88 15/32 in London and 4.88 29/32 in New York.

London silver prices declined 1/8d. to 21 1/8d. China sold. Speculators bought and sold. Buyers were satisfied. The market was quiet but later general selling resulted in a decline of 1/16d. compared with fixed rates despite short covering.

New York silver prices were unchanged at 45 1/2 cents and Montreal silver futures were 5 to 15 points down.

Shanghai T. T. on London was quoted 1.2 9/16.

In the local market there was a marked absence of any important buying in silver and prices ruled a shade quiet on scattered selling, although the general feeling is bullish. The gold market was quietly steady.

	Rs.	a.	p.
GOLD—			
Ready	35	3	3
Kartak delivery	35	3	3
Kartak Teji-Mandi	0	4	0
Magsar delivery	35	3	0
Magsar Teji-Mandi	0	7	0
SILVER—			
Ready	51	15	6
Kartak delivery	52	0	0
Kartak Teji-Mandi	1	4	0
Magsar delivery	52	2	6
Magsar Teji-Mandi	2	6	0

Montreal Silver

Montreal, Nov. 18.

November	46.35—05
December	46.45—05
March	47.25—15

LONDON SILVER

London, Nov. 18.

Spot	21 1/8
Forward	21 1/8

GOLD.

London, Nov. 18.

Gold Bars Fine per oz £7-2-3

Bombay Metals

Bombay, Nov 19

London market—	
Standard copper cash (buyers)	£44 2 6
Standard copper 3 months	£44 10 0
Electrolytic copper	£49 0 0
New York—	
Blue Eagle	10 cents.
Non-Blue Eagle	10.25 cents.
Bombay market—	
Yellow metal sheets	Rs. 35 4 0
Copper sheets	Rs. 45 12 0
Tone: Very steady	

Canadian Wheat Crop

The Canadian Groundnuts' preliminary estimate for winter wheat acreage is 702,000 acres against 585,000 acres last year

Groundnuts And Seeds

Bombay, Nov. 19.

To-day being Labh-Panchmi the local Seeds Traders' Association markets of Groundnut etc. remained closed.

Linseed & Wheat

Bombay, Nov. 19.

Our market was quiet but steady with a moderate turnover business was small and prices are fluctuating around present level. The general opinion is divided and professional operators are quiet.

	Rs.	a.	p.
Linseed May	7	3	6
Wheat January	5	3	6
Wheat May	5	2	0

Cotton Arrivals

Receipts into Bombay on 17th November	6,628
Receipts into Bombay to date since 1-9-1936	136,058
Receipts into Bombay same time last season	199,576
Decrease	63,518

High & Low Cotton Prices

Bombay, Nov. 18.

Broach A/M, 1937 Op. 216 3/4; Highest 217 1/4; Lowest 216 3/4; Closing 216 3/4.

Oomra D/J, Op. 197 1/2; Highest 198 1/4; Lowest 197 1/2; Closing 198.

Oomra March Op. 196 1/2; Highest 197 1/4; Lowest 196 1/2; Closing 196 1/2.

Bengal D/J. Op. 159 3/4; Highest 159 3/4; Lowest 159 1/2; Closing 159 1/2.

Bengal March Op. 159 3/4; Highest 161; Lowest 159 3/4; Closing 160 3/4.

T/Mandi for Broach A/M. Settlement (21-11-36) Rs. 1 1/2.

T/Mandi for Broach A/M. Settlement (21-12-36) Rs. 5 1/4.

T/Mandi for Broach A/May (31-3-37) Rs. 14 1/2.

Cotton Straddles

APPROXIMATE DIFFERENCES.

New York—Liverpool:—
Jan. 165 May 155 at Cross Rate 4.88 29/32.

Bombay—Liverpool:—
Broach A/M. 1937 215/8—Liverpool May 6.46 Rs. 65 3/4 at Exchange 1/6.

Bombay—New York:—
Broach A/M. 1937 215/8—New York May (11-37) Rs. 46 1/2 at Cross Rate 4.88 29/32.

LONDON PRODUCE.

London, Nov. 18.

Wheat Rozario Santa Fe Jan-Feb. sellers	35
Wheat Barletta Russo. Jan-Feb. sellers	35
Wheat South Australian Dec. sellers	40

LONDON SEEDS.

London, Nov. 18

Linseed La Plata Hull C. I. F. Nov. sellers	£11/6/3
Linseed Calcutta London C. I. F. Nov-Dec. sellers	£13/7/6
Linseed Bombay London C. I. F. Nov-Dec. paid	£13/10/0
Rapeseed Toria Hull/Cont C. I. F. Nov-Dec. sellers	£12/13/9
Castorseed Bombay Hull C. I. F. Nov-Dec. sellers	£13/13/9

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES

Bombay, Nov. 19.

2 3/4 per cent 1948/52	101/5
3 per cent 1951/54	104/0
3 per cent 1941 Bonds	105/2
3 1/2 per cent G P N Cash	100/10
3 1/2 per cent 1947/60 Loan	105
4 per cent 1943 Bonds	112/1
4 per cent 1960/70 Loan	115/15
4 1/2 per cent 1955/60 Loan	120/10
3 per cent U P Bonds	100/4
5 per cent 1939/44	109/1
5 per cent 1949/43 Loan	111 15
5 1/2 per cent 1938/40 Loan	107/10
TAX FREES	
5 per cent 1945/55	121/9
4 per cent 1953/63 Loan	113/12
5 1/2 per cent 1938 Mysore	107,10
5 per cent 1968 Mysore	126
CORPORATION DEBENTURES	
4 per cent B P T 1974	112/12
4 per cent M Deb 1974	112/2
5 per cent M Deb 1950	120/8
6 per cent M Deb 1964	132/12
6 per cent K P T 1956	132/12

Note:—3 1/2 per cent paper was steady with a moderate business.

MONEY AND EXCHANGES

Bombay, Nov. 19.

B C EXTRA—	
T T D D	1/6 1/32
LONDON—	
Banks selling T T D D Nov-Dec.	1/6 3/32
Banks buying T T	1/6 5/32
Banks buying D D	1/6 5/32
Banks buying 3 mos	1/6 3/16
NEW YORK—	
B C Rate T T	274
Banks selling T T	272
Banks buying T T	269 7/8
PARIS—	
Banks selling T T	797
Banks buying T T	802
JAPAN—	
Bank selling T T	77 1/2
Banks buying T T	77 1/4
AMSTERDAM—	
Banks selling D D	68
JAVA—	
Banks selling D D	67 5/8
HONGKONG—	
Banks selling D D	83 7/8
SHANGHAI—	
Banks selling D D	81 3/8
SINGAPORE—	
Banks selling D D	156 1/4
BERLIN—	
Banks selling D D	90 5/8
CROSS RATE—	
New York London	
16th instant	4.88 7/8
Japan London	
19th instant	1/3 1/32
Java London	
19th instant	8.99 1/2
Hongkong London	
19th instant	1/3 1/16
Shanghai London	
19th instant	1/2 9/16
London Paris	
18th instant	105.13
London Belgium	
18th instant	29.91 1/2
London Switzerland	
18th instant	21.26 3/4
London Berlin	
18th instant	12.14 1/2
London Stockholm	
18th instant	19.30 1/2
London New York	
18th instant	4.88 15/16
London Amsterdam	
18th instant	9.04 1/2
London Italy	
18th instant	92.54
Tone of Sterling Exchange:—Steady.	
Gold 17th instant	£7-2-4
Gold 18th instant	£7-2-3
Silver London Ready	
17th instant	21 1/4
18th instant	21 1/8
Silver London Forward	
17th instant	21 1/4
18th instant	21 1/8
Silver New York Ready.	
17th instant	45
18th instant	45
London Discounts 3 Mos	
17th instant	5/8 p.c.
18th instant	5/8 p.c.
London Discount 6 Mos	
17th instant	3/4 p.c.
18th instant	3/4 p.c.
Reserve Bank Rate	3 p.a.
Bank of England Rate	2 p.a.
Money—	
Call	1/8 p.a.
3 Mos.	3/4 p.a.
6 Mos.	1 p.a.
Tone:—Easy.	

Indian Sterling Loans

London, Nov. 18.

3 per cent	87 7/8
3 1/2 per cent	99 7/8
3 1/2 per cent 1955/59	108.
4 per cent 1948/53	109 3/4
4 1/2 per cent 1950/55	115
4 1/2 per cent 1958/68	118
5 per cent 1942/47	113 1/2
2 1/2 per cent British Consols	85 3/4
3 1/2 per cent Conversion	107 7/8
3 1/2 per cent War Loan	106 5/8

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

London, Nov. 18.

Rupee Paper 3 1/2 per cent	£74 1/2
Indian Stock 3 per cent 1948	£87 7/8
Indian Stock 3 1/2 per cent 1931 or later	£99 7/8
Indian Stock 4 1/2 per cent 1950/55	£115
Consols 2 1/2 per cent	£85 5/8
Conversion Loan 3 1/2 per cent 1961	£107 7/8
War Loan 3 1/2 per cent 1952	£106 5/8
Funding Loan 4 per cent 1960/90	£117 3/4
Victory Bonds 4 per cent	£115 7/8
Chartered Bank of India Australia and China	£15 5/8
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank London Reg.	£107
National Bank of India	£47 1/2
P and O Banking Corporation	£10

LONDON EXCHANGES.

London, Nov. 18.

T. T. London on:—	
New York (Closing rate)	4.88 15/16
Paris	105.13
Berlin	12.14 1/2
Madrid	55.00 nominal
Amsterdam	9.04 1/2
Brussels	28.91 1/2
Milan	92.54
Berne	21.26 3/4
Prague	138.12

LONDON RUBBER.

London, Nov. 18.

Smoked Sheet Standard ribbed per lb. sellers 8 13/16

Hydro-Electric Shares In Good Demand

Textile Issues Firm Up

TATA STEELS VERY STEADY

BOMBAY: November 19.

The blazes of the silent boom were burning brighter to-day in the Hydro-Electric Section of the local Stock Exchange.

The market is full of bullish enthusiasm and new buyers are pouring in.

Cotton Mill shares, which remained neglected for several months are showing bold front with a fairly good enquiry for Bombay Dyeing shares. European Operators are buying Kohinoors with hopes of a further rise of about Rs. 25.

Hydro-Electric Section was active and strong with impressive buying in Tata Power shares leading. Other shares in this Section also moved up.

Tata Iron and Steel shares, which are most popular among speculative element, ruled very steady with a moderate turnover. Deferreds failed to show any big improvement, but Ordinary Shares are cutting the ground well and reach new high levels, Second Preference shares are also looking up.

Cement Section is more or less neglected. In view of new Merger shares, Operators are not inclined to take much interest in this section.

The action of the Market is dignified. There is no reckless speculation although general business has widened considerably. Old Bulls are realising profits on a portion of their holdings, but new Bulls are taking their place in hopes of possible devaluation of our Rupee with volcanic erruptions in prices of commodities and shares.

It is too early to form any reliable opinion on such exaggerated hopes, but we feel that the main trend of prices is upward, and it will be advisable to lean on the Bull side. We maintain our bullish views and consider that, as soon as the Market corrects its overbought situation, sound fundamentals will assert themselves and the patience of those who have been exercising enterprise on the buying side, during the past few weeks will meet its reward before the turn of the year.

Bombay Dyeing shares opened to-day at Rs. 770 and declined to Rs. 762 on profit-taking, but prices again improved to Rs. 771 on active buying and closed at Rs. 767. Century Shares opened at Rs. 155 and after declining to Rs. 153 improved to Rs. 155, while Kohinoors opened at Rs. 240 and advanced to Rs. 247 to close at Rs. 245.

Tata Power Shares opened at Rs. 1,635 and after declining to Rs. 1,632 advanced to Rs. 1,640 and closed at Rs. 1,635. Andhra Shares opened at Rs. 1,712 and closed at Rs. 1,718, while Hydros were neglected at Rs. 193-12.

Tata Steel Defds. opened at Rs. 850 and after declining to Rs. 846 advanced to Rs. 857 and closed at Rs. 856. Ordinary Shares opened at Rs. 212-4 and firmed up to Rs. 214-4. Second Preference Shares were in demand at Rs. 181. Bombay Burmas opened at Rs. 562 and after several small ups and downs closed quiet at Rs. 558.

Business for the next settlement will commence from Saturday and a section looks for some long liquidation in the near future.

TEXTILE MILLS.

Bombay, Nov. 19.

	Rs	as
100 Ahm. Advance (Rs. 8)	9	10
250 B'bay Dyeing	767	8
100 Century	155	0
100 Central India (Rs. 4)	248	2
100 Colaba (nil)	143	2
100 Coorla (nil)	96	0
250 David	60	0
250 Dawn	300	0
1 E. D Sassoon (nil)	0	3
100 Finlay (Rs. 2-8)	112	8
100 Gokak (Rs. 2-8)	208	2
1000 Hindustan (Rs. 75)	1605	0
100 Indore (nil)	45	10
100 Khatau (Rs. 2)	72	8
100 Kohinoor (Rs. 5)	245	0
250 Laxmi (Rs. 12-8)	586	4
250 Madras United	26	0
1000 Morarji (nil)	872	8
250 Model	45	0
50 Mysore (Rs. 3)	90	0
200 New Great (nil)	161	14
100 Oosmanshahi (nil)	52	0
100 Phoenix (Rs. 10)	265	0
25 Sasson Silk (Rs. 2)	50	0
1000 Sholapur (Rs. 50)	1850	0
50 Simplex (Rs. 1-2)	70	8
100 Simplex (Rs. 4)	193	2
100 Swan (nil)	92	8
500 Vishnu (Rs. 50)	1230	0
1000 Western	737	8
BANKS.		
50-100 Baroda (Rs. 2-8)	116	8
25-50 Central (As. 12)	35	12
500 Imperial (Rs. 30)	1567	8
125-500 I. Conty (Rs. 7-8)	390	6
50-100 India (Rs 2-8)	135	0
100 Reserve Bank (Rs. 3-3-4)	141	0
5 Union (As. 4)	5	10
CEMENTS.		
10 Bundi (Re. 1-6)	39	0
100 Coimbatore	184	6
70 Gwallor (Rs. 5)	137	8
160 Indian (Rs. 10 plus 3)	511	4
40 Katni Def. (Rs. 63-3-9)	2275	0
100 Katni Ord (Rs. 10)	376	4
75 Okha (Rs. 7)	293	12
10 Punjab (Rs. 12)	28	12
100 Shahabad (Rs. 13-8)	508	12
70 United (Rs. 2-8)	155	0
INSURANCE		
80 Empire	870	0
15-100 Jupiter (Rs. 12)	16	4
15-75 New India (Rs. 1-4)	48	12
20 Mercantile	47	4
200 Oriental (125)	5470	0
10-50 Vulcan (As. 8)	7	8
ELECTRIC.		
100 Ahmedabad Old (8)	168	12
1000 Andhra Valley (45)	1718	12
10 Ajmer (As 4)	14	8
50 B'bay Tram (3-8-0)	155	5
100 Bombay Suburban	215	8
10 Broach	13	4
100 Karachi (4)	265	0
100 Poona (4)	265	0
100 Surat (Rs. 8)	280	0
100 Tata Hydro (Rs. 5)	193	12
1000 Tata Power (Rs. 40)	1635	0
RAILWAYS.		
500 Ahmedabad Prantij	912	8
100 C. Province	99	8
100 Dhond Baramati	108	8
100 Gujarat	94	0
100 Mandra Bhon	102	0
100 Pachora Jamner	99	8
100 Sara. Sirajgunje	102	4

ACTIVE SHARES AT A GLANCE.

Bombay, Nov. 19.

Century (154/6)	155 153 156 155
Bom. Dyeing (771/4)	770 763 766 765 770 767 771 767
Kohinoor (243/2)	240 245 242 247 245 246 247 246
Central India (248/2)	247 246 250 247
New Great (161/4)	161 160 162 161
Simplex (68/12)	69 70
Swadeshi (191/14)	190 192 193
Bundi (39/2)	39/2 39
I Cement (511/14)	511
Punjab (28/8)	28/10 28/8 28/12
Shahabad (510)	510 512
Andhra (1712/50)	1713 1711 1718 1717 1720 1718
Tata Hydro (193/7)	193/12 193/7 193/12
Tata Power (1630)	1635 1632 1638 1630 1637 1635
Tram, Ord (155/5)	155/5
T. Steel Dfd. (851/4)	850 846 847 857 853 855 856
T. Steel Ord. (213)	212/4 213 213/4 214/8 214/4
Tata Steel 2nd Pref. (180)	180/8 180/8 181
Bellapur (213/8)	213 212 214 213/12
B. Steam (379/8)	380
B. Burma (562/8)	562 556 562 558 560 558
Tapty Valley (17-8)	777 8

MININGS.

10 Shivrajpur (As. 8)	42 14
30 Tata Setel Def (Rs. 7/3/3)	856 4
75 Tata Steel Ord.	214 8

MISCELLANEOUS

100 Alcock (Rs. 5)	261 14
50 Belapur Sugar Rs. 10 plus 2)	213 12
250 Bombay Steam (Rs. 15)	280 14
125 B'bay Burma (10)	558 2
50 Bom Burma Contributory (4)	186 4
8sh. Br. B. Petrol (nil)	5-12-6
50 B Telephone (128) 1/8d.	115 0
100 I. Bleaching (Rs. 4)	141 14
100 I. Radio defd. (12)	350 0
100 I. Radio ord (15)	322 8
1000 Port Canning (Rs. 25)	630 0
15 Sindia (Re. 1)	19 7
30 Premier Const. (Re. 1-1)	90 0
25 Tata Oil (nil)	15 8

PREFERENCE.

7 p.c. Andhra Valley	1547 8
6 p.c. Bombay Steam	315 0
7 p.c. Bombay Trams	87 12
5 p.c. Central India	525 0
7 p.c. Katni 1st	136 4
7 p.c Katni 2nd	146 4
7-1/2 p.c. Punjab Cement	13 2
7 p.c. Tata Hydro	161 4
7-1/2 p.c. Tata Power	1605 0
6 p.c. Tata Steel 1st	201 14
7-1/2 p.c. Tata Steel 2nd	181 0
5½ p.c Tata Mill	9 8
7 p.c. Vishnu (Last Dividend in Brackets)	877 8

LONDON DISCOUNT RATES.

London, Nov. 18.

Bank Bills 3 months market rate 9/16 per cent to 5/8 per cent.
Bank Bills 6 months market rate 5/8 per cent to 3/4 per cent.
Fine Trade Bills 3 months market rate 2 per cent to 2 1/2 per cent.
Fine Trade Bills 6 months market rate 2 1/2 per cent to 3 per cent.
Interest Day to Day Loan 1/2 per cent to 1/8 per cent.
Interest 7 Days market Loan 1/8 per cent

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Secret Pages Of Italy's Activities In Yemen

Great Sensation Created By Invitation To Crown Prince To Visit Addis Ababa

(From Our Own Correspondent)
CAIRO, (By Air Mail).

Great sensation has been created and grave anxiety is felt in responsible quarters in Yemen and throughout Arabia by the report that the Crown Prince of Yemen, Mahomed Saiful Islam, has accepted Italy's invitation to visit Abyssinia and stay there as an official guest. The Crown Prince will shortly sail for Djibouti.

The Minister of Foreign Affairs in Italy it might be mentioned here was the official guest of the Imam of Yemen for the last two months.

UNDERHAND ACTIVITIES?

Tracing the trend of events which have a bearing on the present reported invitation, and giving the details of the Italian activities which have not been known till now to the press anywhere, a leading Cairo paper under the caption "Secret pages of the Italian activities in Yemen" says:—

The covetous attempts of Italy to secure her hold on Yemen were launched not only after the Great War but since the conquest of Eritrea. When her position was established in Eritrea, Italy had made vigorous efforts to make her maritime position in the Red Sea very strong. Yemen and Asir being the nearest to the shores of Eritrea, Italy found in them greatest possibilities of satisfying her thirst.

As Britain and France were also on the lookout in the same area, Italy had intentions to forestall them. The most interested activities of Italy in Yemen had behind them a motive to attain this end. As soon as the Imam of Yemen entered the field against Turkey, when he was the head of the rebels, Italy found an opportunity of trying her tactics and sent some groups of sepoys in the guise of merchants with a view to carry out her intentions there. These merchant-sepoys under the lead of Mr. Yusuf Tulyany were well equipped with money, maps and instructions as to the methods of procedure.

TACTICS OF YUSUF TULYANY

Mr. Yusuf opened a business house in the city of Sana, the capital town of Yemen and carried on import and export trade there. He grew a beard, adopted the customs and habits of the Arabs in Yemen, began to lend large sums of money to the poor people indiscriminately and also made charities. Even rich and middle class people were given money free of interest and thus Mr. Yusuf established a name and fame as a pious Muslim.

The first important trade Yusuf carried on here was the importing of large quantities of arms, ammunitions and rifles through the "dhows" from the Eritrean shores and also through the Italian steamers direct to the ports of Medi and Lohiyah, which were under the command of the rebels of Yemen and the Imam. These imported arms were sold at remarkably low prices so that the rebels were able to completely arm themselves and check the advancing Turkish army.

TURKEY DEFEATED.

Thus with the help of Italian merchant-sepoys the Imam succeeded in defeating Turkey.

All through the period of struggle Mr. Yusuf Tulyany, the popular Muslim merchant and money-lender, was in communication with the Imam who was taking shelter behind the mountains of Sana. It is really wonderful how this pious mendicant managed to be in touch with the Imam in spite of the fact that Sana was yet under the Turkish flag.

YUSUF GAINS INFLUENCE.

After creating such unlimited confidence, Mr. Yusuf was able to obtain a firman from the Imam to go freely into the interior for the development of his trade. The words of Mr. Yusuf carried much weight and respect among the tribal folk.

With the return of Turkish forces, the success of Imam and his entry into the capital city, Mr. Yusuf commanded much influence there and was well-informed in respect of all matters in connection with the tribes and the interior. This information he supplied to Italy day by day.

Not satisfied with all this, Italy had been doing all these years something elsewhere.

POLITICAL OCTOPUS.

Since 1907 Italy had maintained connections with one Syed Mahomed Ali Idressi, a Muslim divine, (Pir) with a following of about two lakhs who was then in Cairo. It was arranged to send this Pir to the coast of Asir, close to Yemen.

Syed Idressi sailed to Asir and resumed his religious propaganda. Communications with the Imam began and the Pir's idea for a "combine" to face the Turkish forces was also successful.

Large quantities of Italian arms were distributed among the followers, which also served to defeat the Turkish Government forces in Asir. Syed Idressi was acclaimed Imam of Asir and the new Government began.

With the success of Imam Idressi, the Italian Government thought it easy to enter Asir. But the Italian leaders were surprised when ultimately they found that Imam Idressi frustrated all such attempts at entry.

Cutting-asunder all communications with the Italians, Imam Idressi cautioned the Imam of Yemen as to the dangers of foreign influence in Yemen and agreed to be loyal to the latter.

ITALIAN PLANS FAILED.

Thus, the plans of Italy failed. Italy now set her eyes on another quarter.

By a commercial agreement with Yemen for a period of ten years, it was agreed to purchase arms, ammunition and 'planes from Italy and to establish an arms factory in Sana, with Italian workers and to appoint Italian pilots.

In 1932, Syed Hasan Idressi, the successor to Syed Mahomed Ali Idressi, revolted against King Ibn Saud of Arabia due to some dispute and entered the field against him (Ibn Saud).

The situation in Asir became very serious, when Saudi troops entered the important places there. Just then the Admiral of the Italian navy entered the city and offered to help Imam Idressi against Ibn Saud if the former acknowledged Italian protection in Asir. But the Imam refused preferring to fall before Ibn Saud to accepting foreign protection.

PROTECTION OF IMAM

Imam Idressi sought the protection of Imam Yahya of Yemen and it was granted. The Saudi troops advancing towards the port of Hodaidah, Imam Yahya ordered his troops to withdraw, thus avoiding direct clash with the Saudi troops. For six days Hodaidah was without a Government.

On the first day, two Italian warships anchored at the port. An Italian doctor, (who is believed to be a private Italian Consul in Yemen), who was having private practice in Hodaidah, hoisted the Italian Flag on his residence and invited the two divisions of Italian Somalis from the warships to enter the city. This was done two days before the Saudi troops actually entered the vicinity of the port of Hodaidah.

The British authorities in Aden who were studying the whole affair, immediately sent four warships to protect the British subjects there. The French Government also sent their ships to protect their nationals.

Finding himself in a very difficult position the Italian Admiral withdrew his Somali Divisions from the Port.

TERMS WITH IBN SAUD.

After six days the Saudi troops entered the City and when Imam Yahya came to terms with Ibn Saud they were subsequently withdrawn. Thus, once again the attempts of Italy failed miserably.

And now comes the report that the Crown Prince of Yemen had accepted Italy's invitation to be their guest in Addis Ababa.

It is believed in Yemen that it is mostly due to the influence of Ghazi Raghib, the Foreign Minister of Yemen, that the Crown Prince has accepted the invitation.

Where the Congress will b e held: Scene at weekly market at Faizpur when surrounding villagers make their purchases.

The Delegates' Quarter under construction in the 'Tilak Nagar' at Faizpur.

NOYCE VISITS BARODA

Discusses Industrial Problem Of State

(From Our Correspondent)
BARODA, Nov. 17.

Sir Frank Noyce, Industries Member of the India Government, arrived here yesterday and left Baroda to-day by air. It is learnt he discussed problems relating to industries in the State and difficulties encountered by the State with the Provincial Governments in certain matters.

It may be mentioned here that the Alembic Chemical Works had requested Baroda Government to make some arrangement with the Provincial Governments so that the Baroda Government may collect excise duty on goods sent to the respective territories and forward the amount to them after deducting a certain percentage as supervision charges. Such agreements had been made with Madras and Punjab Governments and it is learnt now that similar arrangements have been made with Bengal Government. It is understood that correspondence is going on for effecting an agreement with the Assam Government.

The Baroda State Life Assurance Companies' Association has been formed with Mr. Anant Padmanath Rao as President, Mr. Apabhai R. Patel as Vice-Chairman and Mr. Kirtanlal A. Trivedi and Mr. Shankerlal S. Parekh as Secretary and Treasurer. Its objects (1) to cultivate public opinion in favour of life assurance with Indian companies, (2) to consider problems affecting the Indian business of life assurance in India, and (3) to advance the welfare of Indian Life Assurance Companies in general and particularly of companies registered in Baroda State and working in Baroda State and do everything to protect their interest.

ANDREWS' HEALTH

WARDHA, Nov. 19.

Mr. Andrews has been advised to stay a little longer at Wardha in order to recoup his health.

He proposes to issue shortly four articles to the press describing the state of affairs he observed in Fiji. His full report will be published in book form later.—A. P.

MUNICIPAL AND DIST. BOARD'S EXECUTIVES

U. P. Government To Debar Them From Standing For Legislative Elections

(From Our Correspondent).
ALLAHABAD: Nov. 19.

It is reported that the U.P. Government is contemplating to issue orders prohibiting the Executive Officers of the Municipal Boards and Secretaries of the Dist. Boards from standing for elections to the Legislatures, as some of these persons are already in the field, including the Executive Officers of the Cawnpore Municipality.

JAWAHARLAL ON HARIJAN PROBLEM

Travancore Move, Step Towards Solution

WARDHAGANJ, Nov. 19.

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru has issued the following statement regarding the Travancore Proclamation:—

"Owing to my incessant touring I have only just seen the proclamation of the Travancore Durbar throwing open all state Temples to Harijans. I have read this with great pleasure and I think it should go a long way towards solving this Temple Entry problem.

"Essentially, this is a psychological question, as the denial of Temple Entry involves the denial of a right which means the treatment of a group as a subject and depressed people. With the removal of this bar, this important aspect of the question will be suitably dealt with and it should have far reaching psychological and other consequences.

"The whole Harijan question is at the basis an economic question of the landless classes and a true solution will be along economic lines. But that solution itself will be helped by this proclamation and the new atmosphere it creates."—A. P.

A HAPPY COMPROMISE

Bareilly Addresses To Jawaharlal And Khan A. G. Khan

(From Our Correspondent).
ALLAHABAD, Nov. 19.

Preparations for the U. P. Political Conference, to be held at Bareilly, are proceeding apace. Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru is reaching there on the 21st instant. It is understood about a dozen institutions will present welcome address to the Congress President.

It is reported certain Muslim members of the Bareilly Municipal Board opposed the resolution to present a welcome address to Pandit Nehru, on the ground that Congress has not accepted the Communal Award, and that there was preponderance of Muslims in the Bareilly Municipality.

One member suggested that an address should also be presented to Khan Abdul Gaffar Khan, and not Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru alone. Ultimately, a compromise resolution for presenting addresses to both the leaders was passed by a majority of seven Muslims.

The Swadeshi Exhibition will be opened by Mrs. Uma Nehru at Bareilly.

All-India Sugar Merchants' Conference

(From A Correspondent.)
CAWNPORE, (By Mail).

The arrangements are in progress for holding All-India Sugar Merchants' Conference at Cawnpore which is to be opened by the Hon. Sir Jwala Srivastava on November 13.

Mr. Manekial H. Parikh and Mr. J. J. Mulji are elected Chairman and Secretary respectively of the Reception Committee, whose invitation requests names of the delegates to be sent before November 25 to the Secretary of the Reception Committee of the All-India Sugar Merchants' Conference, Collectorganj, Cawnpore.

The agenda includes the adoption of an All-India Contract for dealings in sugar, the consideration of the action to be taken for the standardisation of sugar qualities, the constitution of the Sugar Tariff Board, the representation of the Sugar Trade interests before the Sugar Tariff Board, the compilation of accurate and reliable statistics relating to Sugar Trade and the issue of samples to the Sugar Trade Organisation.

The sugar trade viewpoint is that the marketing of the Indian sugar is neglected and has caused loss to the sugar merchants who must unite and organise to improve their trade.

AKOLA.—The Berar Liberal Association has recommended Dewan Bahadur K. V. Brahma, Advocate, Nagpur, for the presidency of the 18th session of the National Liberal Federation at Lucknow in the last week of December.

EDGAR WALLACE'S DETECTIVE STORY DAY BY DAY

Inspector Wade— *The Clever One*

THERE GO THE LIGHTS—NOW TO SET RID OF THIS FAKE MONEY!
NOT SO FAST, HALE—
--SO YOU CAME BACK, EH?
CLIFTON!
LYMAN ANDERSON
IGNORING THE THREATENING REVOLVER, HALE CHARGES DESPERATELY UPON CLIFTON--THEY STRUGGLE SILENTLY, BUT FIERCELY----
THAT'S MY CUE--IT'S TIME FOR MY LITTLE ACT!
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